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| The Sunday Star WEEKLY BOOK SURVEY | | | | | | | | | |
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| The Sunday Star has arranged with some of the leading book sellers of Washington and sub- urban areas to report each week the books which sell best as a guide to what Washington is reading. The numbers represent the rank of each book among best sellers at the store named. | | | | | | | | | |
| Report for week ending June 20: | | | | | | | | | |
| FICTION | | | | | | | | | |
| "Anatomy of a Murder," Traver | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| "Winthrop Woman," Seton | 3 | | 5 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| "Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 3 | | | | | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| "Greengage Summer," Gödden | 1 | 5 | | | 5 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| "Mountain Road," White | 4 | | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | | | 6 |
| "The Northern Light," Cronin | 2 | | | | | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| NONFICTION | | | | | | | | | |
| "Inside Russia Today," Günther | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 |
| "The Affluent Society," Galbraith | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| "Masters of Deceit," Hoover | 1 | | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| "Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson," Hoover | | | 5 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 4 |
| "The Question," Alleg | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | | 4 | | 2 |
| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 5 | 6 | | | 4 | 3 | 2 | 4 | |

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The following books are rated according to sales reports from Washington area bookstores:

FICTION

1. The Northern Light—Cronin.
2. The Greengage Summer—Godden.
3. Anatomy of a Murder—Traver.
4. Enemy Camp—Weidman.
5. The Winthrop Woman—Seton.
6. A Summer Place—Wilson.

NONFICTION

1. Inside Russia Today—Günther.
2. The Affluent Society—Galbraith.
3. Masters of Deceit—Hoover.
4. The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson—Hoover.
5. Please Don't Eat the Daisies—Kerr.
6. Land Without Justice—Djilas.

Bookstores cooperating in this compilation: Abbott Book Shop, Franz Bader, William Ballantine & Son, Center Book Shop, Hecht Co., Bréntano's Book Stores, Inc., Kann's, Francis Scott Key Book Shop, Sidney Kramer Books, Pockers, Inc., Savile Book Shop, Trans-Lux Book Shop, Woodward & Lothrop, World Affairs Book Shop.

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What America Reads

June 22, Score

The Herald Tribune arranges with the country's leading booksellers to report each week the best selling six titles in fiction and non-fiction to give an over-all picture of what is being read in America. Only titles reported three or more times are charted. This week's chart is based on reports received by June 16.

FICTION

| | | Number of Stores | Total Weeks Listed |
|----|---|------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | Anatomy of a Murder, by Robert Traver | 39 | 23 |
| 2 | The Winthrop Woman, by Anya Seton | 31 | 17 |
| 3 | Ice Palace, by Edna Ferber | 27 | 13 |
| 4 | A Summer Place, by Sloan Wilson | 18 | 10 |
| 5 | The Greengage Summer, by Rumer Godden | 16 | 11 |
| 6 | The Northern Light, by A. J. Cronin | 12 | 3 |
| 7 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters, by R. L. Taylor | 10 | 12 |
| 8 | Seidman and Son, by Ellick Moll | 9 | 3 |
| 9 | North From Rome, by Helen MacInnes | 8 | 18 |
| 10 | Daybreak, by Frank G. Slaughter | 8 | 4 |
| 11 | The Mountain Road, by Theodore H. White | 7 | 6 |
| 12 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | 6 | 44 |
| 13 | The Ginger Man, by J. P. Donleavy | 6 | 1 |
| 14 | A Death in the Family, by James Agee | 5 | 18 |
| 15 | The Mackerel Plaza, by Peter De Vries | 4 | 13 |
| 16 | Strangers When We Meet, by Evan Hunter | 4 | 2 |
| 17 | Centenary at Jaina, by Mazo de la Roche | 3 | 3 |
| 18 | The Cup of Strength, by Charlotte Paul | 3 | 1 |

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|----|--|----|----|
| 1 | Inside Russia Today, by John Gunther | 42 | 10 |
| 2 | Masters of Deceit, by Edgar Hoover | 35 | 15 |
| 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies, by Jean Kerr | 27 | 29 |
| 4 | Dear Abby, by Abigail Van Buren | 24 | 7 |
| 5 | Kids Say the Darndest Things, by Art Linkletter | 22 | 32 |
| 6 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson, by Herbert Hoover | 15 | 7 |
| 7 | Madison Avenue, U.S.A., by Martin Mayer | 7 | 14 |
| 8 | All About Men, by Joseph H. Peck | 6 | 2 |
| 9 | Mr. Music-Maker, Lawrence Welk, by Mary L. Coakley | 6 | 1 |
| 10 | Where Did You Go? Out, by Robert Paul Smith | 5 | 47 |
| 11 | The Affluent Society, by John K. Galbraith | 5 | 1 |
| 12 | Peter Trenchard's Book of the Seven Seas | 4 | 28 |
| 13 | The Great Democracies, by Winston S. Churchill | 4 | 13 |
| 14 | How To Do Nothing With Nobody, by R. P. Smith | 4 | 2 |
| 15 | To Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 3 | 34 |
| 16 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso, by D. D. Duncan | 3 | 10 |
| 17 | Live At Peace With Your Nerves, by Dr. W. C. Alvarez | 3 | 8 |

BOOKSELLERS REPORTING

Albuquerque—New Mexico. Atlanta—Davidson-Paxon • Rich's. Baltimore—Hochschild, Kohn • Remington's. Boston—Lauriat's • Old Corner. Cleveland—Burrows • Korman & Wood. Dayton—Rike-Kumler. Denver—Kendrick-Bellamy. Detroit—J. L. Hudson. Evansville—Smith & Butterfield. Greensboro—Wills Book & Stationery. Indianapolis—L. S. Ayres. Larchmont—Anderson's. Los Angeles—Campbell's. Louisville—Wilderness Road. Miami—Burdine's. Nashville—Cokesbury • Stokes & Stockell. New York—Brentano's • Macy's • Scribner. Omaha—Matthews. Pasadena—Vroman's. Pittsburgh—Joseph Horne Co. Portland, Ore.—J. K. Gill. Providence—The Book Shop. Rochester—Scranton's. St. Louis—Doubleday. St. Paul—St. Paul Book & Stationery. Salt Lake City—Deseret. San Francisco—Paul Elder's • Emporium. Santa Barbara—Osborne's. Seattle—Frederick & Nelson • Hartman's Books • University. Spokane—John W. Graham. Toledo—Lamson's. Washington, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop. Wilmington—Greenwood Book Shop. Yalima—Brooks.

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Best Seller List

An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 37 cities showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart.

| May 25 | June 1 | June 8 | This Week | An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 37 cities showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart. | | |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|-----------|--|
| | | | | Weeks on List | | |
| Fiction | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Anatomy of a Murder. <i>Traver</i> | 21 | |
| 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | Ice Palace. <i>Ferber</i> | 12 | |
| 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | The Winthrop Woman. <i>Seton</i> | 15 | |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | A Summer Place. <i>Wilson</i> | 8 | |
| 7 | 7 | 6 | 5 | The Greengage Summer. <i>Godden</i> | 10 | |
| 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | North From Rome. <i>MacInnes</i> | 15 | |
| 6 | 6 | 8 | 7 | The Sergeant. <i>Murphy</i> | 11 | |
| 11 | 10 | 10 | 8 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters. <i>Taylor</i> | 8 | |
| | 15 | 14 | 9 | The Mountain Road. <i>White</i> | 3 | |
| 12 | 9 | 7 | 10 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys! <i>Shulman</i> | 42 | |
| | | 11 | | The Northern Light. <i>Cronin</i> | 1 | |
| | | 12 | | Seidman and Son. <i>Moll</i> | 1 | |
| 13 | | 13 | | Lover's Point. <i>Lee</i> | 3 | |
| 10 | 12 | 11 | 14 | By Love Possessed. <i>Cozzens</i> | 41 | |
| 15 | | 16 | 15 | The Underground City. <i>Humes</i> | 3 | |
| 9 | 8 | 9 | 16 | The Mackerel Plaza. <i>De Vries</i> | 9 | |
| General | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Masters of Deceit. <i>J. Edgar Hoover</i> | 12 | |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Inside Russia Today. <i>Gunther</i> | 8 | |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies. <i>Kerr</i> | 27 | |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | Kids Say the Darndest Things! <i>Linkletter</i> | 30 | |
| 7 | 5 | 5 | 5 | Dear Abby. <i>Van Buren</i> | 5 | |
| 8 | 7 | 7 | 6 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson. <i>Herbert Hoover</i> | 5 | |
| 5 | 6 | 6 | 7 | Madison Avenue, U. S. A. <i>Mayer</i> | 12 | |
| 6 | 8 | 8 | 8 | The Great Democracies. <i>Churchill</i> | 13 | |
| 11 | 9 | 11 | 9 | "Where Did You Go?" "Out." "What Did You Do?" "Nothing." <i>Smith</i> | 44 | |
| 15 | 10 | 16 | 10 | Herb Caen's New Guide to San Francisco. | 4 | |
| 12 | 12 | | 11 | To Live Again. <i>Marshall</i> | 31 | |
| 16 | 15 | 13 | 12 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso. <i>Duncan</i> | 7 | |
| | | 13 | | The Day Christ Died. <i>Bishop</i> | 34 | |
| 16 | 15 | 14 | | The Face of Minnesota. <i>Szarkowski</i> | 3 | |
| | | 15 | | The Hidden Persuaders. <i>Packard</i> | 50 | |
| 10 | 13 | 11 | 16 | Baruch: My Own Story. | 41 | |

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--And Bear in Mind--

Other recent books which, in the opinion of the staff of this Review, are of particular literary, topical or scholarly interest.

Fiction

- A Friend in Power, by *Carlos Baker*. A suspenseful and moral tale of a university's search for a new president.
- The Ginger Man, by *J. P. Donleavy*. The comic, amorous adventures of a red-bearded rogue in England and Ireland.
- The Magic Barrel, by *Bernard Malamud*. Stories ranging from New York to Rome, of personal crises in ordinary lives.
- Two Women, by *Alberto Moravia*. A realistic tale of the sufferings of a mother and daughter in war-torn Italy of 1943.

General

- Foreign Policy, by *Thomas K. Finletter*. A former Air Force Secretary charts a foreign policy for America.
- Man in Modern Fiction, by *Edmund Fuller*. A vigorous polemic against the mode of much contemporary American writing.
- The Affluent Society, by *John Kenneth Galbraith*. A witty questioning of the conventional principles of our economic life.
- The Great EB, by *Herman Kogan*. A rich and varied history of that faithful servant, the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

What America Reads

June 15
This Week's Score

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| 7 | The Greengage Summer, by Ruiner Godden | 12 | 10 |
| 8 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheevers, by R. L. Taylor | 9 | 11 |
| 9 | The Northern Light, by A. J. Cronin | 9 | 2 |
| 10 | The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | 8 | 22 |
| 11 | A Death in the Family, by James Agee | 6 | 17 |
| 12 | Seidman and Son, by Elick Moll | 5 | 2 |
| 13 | The Mackerel Plaza, by Peter De Vries | 4 | 12 |
| 14 | The Sergeant, by Dennis Murphy | 4 | 11 |
| 15 | The Ten Thousand Things, by Maria Dermont | 4 | 9 |
| 16 | The Mountain Road, by Theodore H. White | 4 | 5 |
| 17 | Daybreak, by Frank G. Slaughter | 4 | 3 |
| 18 | Man of Montmartre, by S. & L. Longstreet | 3 | 11 |
| 19 | Centenary at Jalna, by Mazo de la Roche | 3 | 2 |
| 20 | Strangers When We Meet, by Evan Hunter | 3 | 1 |

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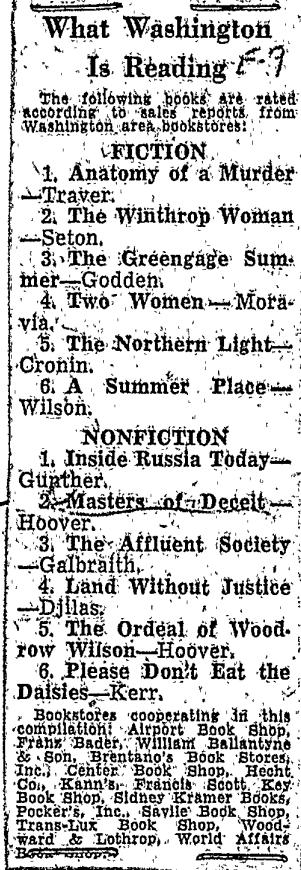
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| 9 | To Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 3 | 33 |
| 10 | Peter Frenchen's Book of the Seven Seas | 3 | 27 |
| 11 | Attorney for the Damned, C. Darrow, ed. by Weinberg | 3 | 17 |

BOOKSELLERS REPORTING

Albuquerque—New Mexico. *Atlanta*—Davison-Paxton. *Baltimore*—Hochschild, Kohn • Remington's. *Boston*—Lauriat's • Old Corner. *Cleveland*—Burrows • Halle Bros. • Korner & Wood. *Dayton*—Rike-Kumler. *Denver*—Kendrick-Bellamy. *Detroit*—J. L. Hudson. *Evansville*—Smith & Butterfield. *Greensboro*—Wills Book & Stationery. *Indianapolis*—L. S. Ayres. *Larchmont*—Anderson's. *Los Angeles*—Campbell's. *Louisville*—Wilder-ness Road. *Miami*—Burdine's. *Nashville*—Cokesbury • Stokes & Stockell. *New York*—Brentano's • Macy's • Scribner. *Omaha*—Matthews. *Pasadena*—Vroman's. *Phoenix*—Korricks. *Pittsburgh*—Joseph Horne Co. *Portland*, *Ore.*—J. K. Gill. *Providence*—The Book Shop. *Rochester*—Scranton's. *St. Louis*—Doubleday. *St. Paul*—St. Paul Book & Stationery. *San Antonio*—Joske's of Texas. *San Francisco*—Paul Elder's • Emporium. *Santa Barbara*—Osborne's. *Seattle*—Frederick & Nelson • Hartman's Books. *Spokane*—John W. Graham. *Toledo*—Lamson's. *Wilmington*—Greenwood Book Shop. *Yakima*—Broad's.

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| "Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 6 | |
| "Winthrop Woman," Sefor | 3 | 1 | | | 3 | 2 | 2 | | |
| "The Northern Light," Crónin | | | | 2 | | 1 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| "Greengage Summer," Godden | | | | 4 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 5 | |
| "Two Women," Moravia | 6 | 4 | | | | 3 | | 6 | |
| NONFICTION | | | | | | | | | |
| "Inside Russia Today," Günther | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| "Masters of Deceit," Hoover | 1 | 2 | | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| "The Affluent Society," Galbraith | 3 | 1 | 5 | | | 4 | 5 | 3 | |
| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 6 | 2 | | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | | |
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Anti-Pest Book Given Schools

Two hundred copies of J. Edgar Hoover's anti-Communistic book, "Masters of Deceit," will be distributed through schools here by the American Legion's Americanism Committee.

Funds for the distribution were provided by the Pittsburgh Foundation through a grant of \$1000.

Copies of the volume were presented to the Very Rev. John B. McDowell, superintendent of Pittsburgh parochial schools; Dr. Earl A. Dimick, superintendent of Pittsburgh schools; Dr. Edwin B. Long, superintendent of independent schools, and Dr. James S. Smoke, assistant superintendent of Allegheny County schools, in the absence of Dr. Alfred W. Beattie.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE:

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Page A5290, Congressman Henderson, (R) Ohio, extended his remarks concerning the book "Masters of Deceit." He stated "there is no man in the United States who understands better the Communist efforts to subvert the institutions of American democracy than Mr. J. Edgar Hoover of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Mr. Hoover's recent book, Masters of Deceit, arrived on the American scene at a most opportune time when our Nation is presented with an obvious choice which, if we are not vigilant, may lead us into the false security of trusting the present masters of the Kremlin. * * * Through his book, Mr. Hoover performs another in his long succession of distinguished public services by recounting the Communist chronology in the United States." Mr. Henderson included with his remarks an editorial from the Marietta (Ohio) Daily Times of June 7, 1958, commending Mr. Hoover.

Enclosure

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Alerts Student Group To Communist Menace

BY ED. DEFLUMERE

LOWELL.—The 2,500 students taking English courses at Lowell High school are reading some very plain, hard-hitting English these days—the words of people best equipped to inform them about the terrible dangers of the worldwide Communist conspiracy.

Each and every one of them has received four booklets, prepared and released by the House Committee on Un-American Activities and answering 400 important questions about the malevolent influence of Communism in religion, education, labor and government.

Efforts to awaken students to the true nature of the Communist menace have been under way only since January and, as yet, they do not constitute a full-fledged course.

But all students are required to take English, and the 23 teachers who are participating in the program have been generous with their time and enthusiastic in their cooperation.

Credit for instituting the new phase of English instruction goes to Submaster William J. Brown under whose direction the teachers present the material.

Saw Atrocity

A faculty member for 33 years, Mr. Brown is a soft-spoken man of 59. He is a veteran of World Wars I and II who, on a brief visit to Poland in 1946, saw the Reds herding people about in railroad box-cars with no consideration for human dignity.

This experience was what impelled him on his mission to learn more about the Soviet threat to free men everywhere and what eventually led him to try to lay the truths about the evil of Communism before the young people of Lowell.

In fall, it will be recalled, the American Legion, a crusading anti-Communist organization of the first rank, reversed its field on the question of teaching about communism in the schools and began to advocate it.

No more than a few weeks went by before Mr. Brown was able to turn his long-held wish into reality.

For source material, he sought out the assistance of U. S. Rep. Edith Nourse Rogers and she came through in yeoman fashion. She supplied the necessary 10,000 booklets to get the instruction rolling and has since supplemented her initial aid with more un-American Activities committee literature.

A small note about the Lowell experiment was printed by a New York newspaper and, shortly thereafter, Mr. Brown was offered for consideration a textbook dealing with the subject of communism.

Entitled "Democracy Versus Communism," the text is written by Kenneth Colegrove and published and distributed for The Institute of Fiscal and Political Education by D. Van Nostrand Co., Inc., of Princeton, N. J. A preface to the text incl-

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cates that suggestions and criticisms of the book were made by such knowledgeable students of the Communist conspiracy as Prof. Willmoore Kendall of Yale University, Joseph C. Grew, former U. S. Under-Secretary of State, and the late Arthur Bliss Lane, former U. S. Ambassador to Poland.

Though the text arrived late in the term, Mr. Brown has already drawn upon it to some degree. He has had mimeographed, for instance, a chart showing the long record of Soviet Russia in breaking and disregarding treaties.

He said he hopes sometime this summer to categorize the book so the "meat" of it will be available for presentation to students next year.

Work Recognized

Besides the enthusiastic cooperation of the teachers, Mr. Brown has drawn praise from parents and students alike as well as from articulate anti-Communists who have written to him from many states of the nation. The sub-master's idea also has endorsement of the superintendent and headmaster.

So far, he has met with no opposition from the so-called "bleeding heart" element, which might be expected to make its threadbare plea that communism be discussed as simply another economic philosophy rather than as a soul-killing conspiracy.

Mr. Brown said he believes instruction about communism should be instituted in secondary schools elsewhere in the nation. He knows of no school which yet has a course similar to the one in Lowell.

He has become more convinced than ever that people need to be educated to the true designs of communism after reading recently that one million out of three million members of a certain religious denomination feel that peaceful co-existence is feasible.

"The American people today are in very, very deep ignorance of the particular ways in which Communism is advancing," he declared. Mr. Brown said he wishes it will be possible to present more information on Communist maneuverings to adult groups.

He recalled the remark of a man who said not long back that there are more people today who are under the thumb of the Reds than have ever heard of Christ. He pointed out that the Communists have scored these successes in 40 years as opposed to nearly 2,000 years of effort to spread the word of God.

Among Mr. Brown's correspondence is a letter he prizes very highly. It is from FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover who wrote, "Your interest and continued support in the important fight against atheistic Communism are deeply appreciated, and I earnestly hope you found my book, 'Master of Deceit,' of assistance in connection with your high school classes."



FACTS ABOUT THE COMMUNIST conspiracy are being presented to all students at Lowell, Mass., High School as the result of the efforts of Sub-master William J. Brown, shown above reading literature furnished by the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

What America Reads

| Rank | Book Title | Author | Number of Stores | Total Weeks Listed |
|--------------------|--|--------|------------------|--------------------|
| This Week's Scores | | | | |
| 1 | Anatomy of a Murder, by Robert Traver | | 41 | 21 |
| 2 | The Winthrop Woman, by Anya Seton | | 35 | 15 |
| 3 | Ice Palace, by Edna Ferber | | 29 | 11 |
| 4 | A Summer Place, by Sloan Wilson | | 26 | 8 |
| 5 | The Greengage Summer, by Rumer Godden | | 13 | 9 |
| 6 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | | 11 | 42 |
| 7 | North From Rome, by Helen MacInnes | | 11 | 16 |
| 8 | The Northern Light, by A. J. Cronin | | 8 | 1 |
| 9 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeers, by R. L. Taylor | | 7 | 10 |
| 10 | Seidman and Son, by Elick Moll | | 7 | 1 |
| 11 | By Love Possessed, by James Gould Cozzens | | 6 | 40 |
| 12 | Maggie-Now, by Betty Smith | | 6 | 15 |
| 13 | The Sergeant, by Dennis Murphy | | 6 | 10 |
| 14 | The Mountain Road, by Theodore H. White | | 6 | 4 |
| 15 | The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | | 5 | 21 |
| 16 | The Mackerel Plaza, by Peter De Vries | | 4 | 11 |
| 17 | Centenary at Jaimie, by Mazo de la Roche | | 4 | 1 |
| 18 | A Death in the Family, by James Agee | | 3 | 16 |
| 19 | Ride the Red Earth, by Paul I. Wellman | | 3 | 13 |
| 20 | Daybreak, by Frank G. Slaughter | | 3 | 2 |
| 21 | Two Women, by Alberto Moravia | | 3 | 2 |

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| 1 | Inside Russia Today, by John Gunther | 37 | 8 |
| 2 | Masters of Deceit, by J. Edgar Hoover | 36 | 13 |
| 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies, by Jean Kerr | 34 | 27 |
| 4 | Dear Abby, by Abigail Van Buren | 31 | 5 |
| 5 | Kids Say the Darndest Things, by Art Linkletter | 25 | 30 |
| 6 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson, by Herbert Hoover | 9 | 5 |
| 7 | To Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 6 | 32 |
| 8 | Baruch: My Own Story, by Bernard M. Baruch | 5 | 41 |
| 9 | The Day Christ Died, by Jim Bishop | 5 | 40 |
| 10 | The Great Democracies, by Winston S. Churchill | 5 | 12 |
| 11 | Madison Avenue, U.S.A., by Martin Mayer | 5 | 12 |
| 12 | All About Men, by Joseph H. Peck | 5 | 1 |
| 13 | How to Do Nothing With Nobody, by Robert P. Smith | 5 | 1 |
| 14 | Peter Treuchen's Book of the Seven Seas | 3 | 26 |
| 15 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso, by D. D. Duticq | 3 | 9 |

BOOKSELLERS REPORTING

Albuquerque—New Mexico. Atlanta—Davis & Paxton. Baltimore—Hochschild, Kohn. Boston—Lauriat's • Old Corner. Chicago—Cokesbury. Cleveland—Burrows • Halle Bros. • Korner & Wood. Dallas—Cokesbury. Dayton—Rike-Kumler. Denver—Kendrick-Bellamy. Detroit—J. L. Hudson. Evansville—Smith & Butterfield. Greensboro—Wills Book & Stationery. Hollywood—Pickwick. Larchmont—Anderson's. Los Angeles—Campbell's. Louisville—Wilderness Road. Miami—Burdine's. Minneapolis—Powers. Nashville—Stokes & Stockell. New York—Brentano's • Macy's • Scribner. Omaha—Matthews. Pasadena—Vroman's. Phoenix—Kortnick's. Pittsburgh—Joseph Horne Co. Portland, Ore.—J. K. Gill. Providence—The Book Shop. Rochester—Scranton's. St. Paul—St. Paul Book & Stationery. Salt Lake City—Deseret. San Antonio—Joske's of Texas. San Francisco—Paul Elder's • Emporium. Santa Barbara—Osborne's. Seattle—Hartman's Books • University. Spokane—John W. Graham. Toledo—Lamson's. Washington, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop. Wilmington—Greenwood Book Shop. Yakima—Broad's.

One Hundred of the Year's Best:

The following list of 100 books has been selected by the staff of The Book Review from the approximately 5,000 titles published thus far this year. Obviously, such a list can suggest only the high points in the main fields of reader interest. The books are arranged alphabetically by authors. Books reviewed in this issue are not included.

FICTION

A FRIEND IN POWER. Carlos Baker. (Scribner's. \$3.95.) — What happens on the campus of a leading Eastern university during a nine-month search for a new president.

THE GLASS ROSE. Richard Bankowsky. (Random. \$3.75.) — The moving story of a Polish immigrant's tragedy and his daughter's redemption.

PURELY ACADEMIC. Stringfellow Barr. (Simon & Schuster. \$3.95.) — A wryly humorous satire of American college education, faculty life and the large foundations.

THE RETURN OF ANSEL GIBBS. Frederick Buechner. (Knopf. \$3.75.) — A look at the human being behind the facade of a man slated to become a cabinet officer.

BUGLE IN THE WILDERNESS. John Burress. (Vanguard. \$3.50.) — Sharply etched Civil War tale of family tragedy and divided loyalties.

EXILE AND THE KINGDOM. Albert Camus. (Knopf. \$3.50.) — Six short stories, by the French Nobel Prize winner, about the dilemmas facing modern men of goodwill.

THE NORTHERN LIGHT. A. J. Cronin. (Little, Brown. \$4.) — A courageous newspaper publisher in a provincial English city fights for survival against a scandal-mongering competitor, a rapacious London press lord.

THE MACKEREL PLAZA. Peter DeVries. (Little, Brown. \$3.75.) — The problems of a suburban clergyman-widower who would marry again, told with bright, broad humor.

THE RIDDLE OF GENESIS COUNTY. Lynne Doyle. (Houghton Mifflin. \$3.) — Five persons in a Hoosier coal town seek for life's origins and meaning in this well-executed first novel.

A PLACE WITHOUT TWILIGHT. Peter S. Feibleman. (World. \$4.75.) — A Negro girl's search for self-realization under the burdens of race and poverty in New Orleans.

ICE PALACE. Edna Ferber. (Doubleday. \$4.50.) — Fifty years of Alaska and the men and women who built a civilization there.

ANGRY HARVEST. Hermann Field and Stanislaw Mierzen-ski. (Crowell. \$5.) — A story (written in a Communist prison near Warsaw) of a Polish farmer and his relations with a Jewish girl during the Nazi occupation.

AFTERNOON OF AN AUTHOR. F. Scott Fitzgerald. (Scribner's. \$4.50.) — A collection of stories and essays, by

the foremost chronicler of the Roaring Twenties.

THE ROOTS OF HEAVEN. Romain Gary. (Simon & Schuster. \$5.95.) — A symbolic tale of elephants, intrigue and adventure in modern Africa.

THE GREENGAGE SUMMER. Rumer Godden. (Viking. \$3.50.) — Five English chil-

dren in France and their involvement in the lives of adults, handled with the author's characteristic subtlety.

THE WHITE WITCH. Elizabeth Goudge. (Coward-McCann. \$4.95.) — A quiet, realistic historical novel of gypsy love, lore and trickery in Cromwell's England.

DAYS IN THE YELLOW LEAF. William Hoffman. (Doubleday. \$3.95.) — A young man attempts to live a life of gentleness in a world of violence and deceit, with harrowing consequences.

HOME FROM THE HILL. William Humphrey. (Knopf. \$3.95.) — Relationships within

an aristocratic east coast family provide the theme for this fine first novel.

SOME CAME RUNNING. James Jones. (Scribner's. \$7.50.) — The second novel by the author of "From Here to Eternity" concerns a young veteran who returns to his home town to write a novel about his war experiences.

THE SIBYL. Par Lagerkvist. (Random. \$3.50.) — A Swedish Nobel Prize winner's allegorical tale of divine enigmas.

SEASONS OF JUPITER. Anand Lali. (Harper. \$3.50.) — An aristocratic young Indian's search for identity, by a leading Indian diplomat.

TWO WOMEN. Alberto Moravia. (Farrar, Straus & Cudahy. \$4.95.) — Realistic tale of the privations and sufferings of a mother and daughter in war-torn Italy of 1943.

THE GUIDE. R. K. Narayan. (Viking. \$3.50.) — A gifted Indian novelist's compassionate comedy of a reluctant holy man in the imaginary city of Malgudi.

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THE CASTLE OF FRATTA. Ippolito Nievo. (Houghton Mifflin. \$5.50.) — The epic chronicle of a feudal family in eighteenth- and nineteenth-century Italy.

THE WORLD OF EVELYN WAUGH. Selected and edited by Charles J. Rolo. (Little, Brown. \$6.) — An anthology of the English master's satiric prose.

THE WHEEL OF EARTH. Helga Sandburg. (McDowell, Obolensky. \$4.95.) — Tragedies in a Kentucky farm family, poignantly told by the daughter of poet Carl Sandburg.

THE VOYAGE HOME. Ernest Schnabel. (Harcourt, Brace. \$3.75.) — A speculative, supple rendering of the classic tale of Odysseus and Nausicaa.

THE WINTHROP WOMAN. Anya Seton. (Houghton Mifflin. \$4.95.) — Life, times and passions of Elizabeth Fones, the young Massachusetts Bay Colony woman who rebelled against the Puritan code.

DAYBREAK. Frank G. Slaughter. (Doubleday. \$3.95.) — The crises involved in a doctor's efforts to save a young schizophrenic through use of the tranquilizer reserpine.

THE CONSCIENCE OF THE RICH. C. P. Snow. (Scribner's. \$3.95.) — Portrait of a wealthy London Jewish family in the years preceding World War II, newest volume in a series on the governing classes in modern England.

THEY CAME TO CORDURA. Glendon Swarthout. (Random. \$3.50.) — Courage and cowardice as displayed by the U. S. cavalry in its trek across the Mexican desert during the "punitive expedition" of 1916.

DREAM OF THE RED CHAMBER. Tsao Hsueh-chin. (Pantheon. \$7.50. Twayne. \$6.) — A classic eighteenth century romance of manners in China, now available in English for the first time. The Pantheon edition is fuller and better suited for serious students; the Twayne will please the average reader.

ANATOMY OF A MURDER. Robert Traver. (St. Martin's.

\$4.50.) — Rape, murder and courtroom trial in Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

THE YOUNG CAESAR. Rex Warner. (Atlantic — Little, Brown. \$4.75.) — The evolution of the Roman conqueror from the boy idealist to accomplished politician, told in the first person.

THE MOUNTAIN ROAD. Theodore H. White. (Sloane. \$3.95.) — Tense, controlled narrative of a week in the lives of an American major and his demolition team isolated during the Chinese retreat of 1944.

A SUMMER PLACE. Sloan Wilson. (Simon & Schuster. \$4.50.) — The author of "The Man in the Gray Flannel Suit" tackles the life and loves of two families in two generations.

AMERICAN SCENE.
AN EPITAPH FOR DIXIE. Harry S. Ashmore. (Norton. \$3.50.) — The South's problems, especially integration, as seen by a Little Rock editor.

THE AFFLUENT SOCIETY. John Kenneth Galbraith. (Houghton Mifflin. \$5.) — A leading economist questions in witty fashion the modes and principles of our contemporary economic life.

MASTERS OF DECEIT. J. Edgar Hoover. (Holt. \$5.) — An informal study, by the Director of the F. B. I., of communism in America and ways of fighting it.

SCHOOLS WITHOUT SCHOLARS. John Keats. (Houghton Mifflin. \$3.) — An alarmed parent discusses what is wrong with our public schools.

MADISON AVENUE. U. S. A. Martin Mayer. (Harper. \$4.95.) — How the advertising business works, explained in breezy fashion.

BIOGRAPHY
THE THUNDER AND THE SUNSHINE. Jerry Allen. (Putnam's. \$4.50.) — A life of Joseph Conrad, based on discriminating research.

THE GREATNESS OF OLIVER CROMWELL. Maurice Ashley. (Macmillan. \$5.) — The British soldier-statesman and the crucial era in which he lived, appraised dispassionately.

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INDEPENDENT MAN. Harry Barnard. (Scribner's. \$5.95.) — Well-told account of the life of James Couzens (1872-1936), driving force in the early Ford Motor Company and one of the least regular of Republican Senators.

GEORGE WASHINGTON. Marcus Cunliffe. (Little, Brown. \$4.) — Fresh and succinct interpretation of our national hero as man and legend, by a young British scholar.

LAND WITHOUT JUSTICE. Milovan Djilas. (Harcourt, Brace. \$5.75.) — The author of "The New Class" writes eloquently of his Montenegrin youth.

NAKED TO MINE ENEMIES. Charles W. Ferguson. (Little, Brown. \$6.) — The life of Cardinal Wolsey (1471-1530), the butcher's son who became England's great statesman, told with scholarship and grace.

SHACKLETON AND THE ANTARCTIC. Margery and James Fisher. (Houghton Mifflin. \$7.50.) — Definitive study of the character and era of the intrepid explorer (1874-1922).

AL SMITH AND HIS AMERICA. Oscar Handlin. (Atlantic-Little, Brown. \$3.50.) — A profile of the Happy Warrior from sidewalk childhood to the bitterness of defeat.

A. E. HOUSMAN. Maude M. Hawkins. (Regnery. \$6.) — Important new insights into the life and character of the scholarly English poet, creator of "A Shropshire Lad."

THE HISTORY OF FANNY BURNEY. Joyce Henlow. (Oxford. \$8.50.) — A once enormously popular English novelist against the background of her times (1752-1840).

THE ORDEAL OF WOODROW WILSON. Herbert Hoover. (McGraw-Hill. \$6.) — Our 31st President writes of the 28th President's peace efforts at Paris and his attempt to have the United States join the League of Nations.

MY BROTHER'S KEEPER. Stanislaus Joyce. Edited by Richard Ellmann. (Viking. \$5.) — The Dublin boyhood and early work of James Joyce, in an illuminating memoir by his younger brother.

THE PASSIONATE EXILES.

Maurice Leavallant. (Farrar, Straus & Cudahy. \$4.75.) — Scholarly look at the nineteen-year friendship between two early nineteenth-century ladies of letters, Madame de Staél and Madame Récamier.

THE TITANS.

André Maurois. (Harper. \$5.95.) — Dumas *père* and *s fils*, together with the soldier *grand père*, are vividly portrayed against a rich period background.

VOLTAIRE IN LOVE.

Nancy Mitford. (Harper. \$5.) — The constant and enduring—in its fashion—liaison between the French dramatist and the

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Marquise Emile du Châtelet.
D. H. LAWRENCE: A Composite Biography. Edited by Edward Nehls. (University of Wisconsin Press. \$7.50.) — Extracts from the writer's own work and that of his friends and neighbors tell of his wandering years, 1919-25, in this second of three volumes.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT. Carleton Putnam. (Scribner's. \$10.) — This first of four projected volumes covers the formative years (1858-86) in New York, in Europe and the Mideast, at Harvard, and in Dakota.

FIRST LADY OF THE SOUTH. Isabel Ross. (Harper. \$5.95.) — A judicious, full-length portrait of Jefferson Davis' partner in glory and defeat, Varina Howell.

ORPHEUS AT EIGHTY. Vincent Sheean. (Random. \$5.) — Spirited, glowing portrait of Giuseppe Verdi.

WOODROW WILSON. Arthur Walworth. (Longman's, Green. \$15.) — A two-volume reappraisal of the career of the world-war President.

ESSAYS, BELLES-LETTRES

WRITERS AT WORK. Edited by Malcolm Cowley. (Viking. \$5.) — Interviews with sixteen contemporary authors, from E. M. Forster to Francoise Sagan, conducted by various hands, originally published in the *Paris Review*.

MAN IN MODERN FICTION. Edmund Fuller. (Random. \$3.50.) — A vigorous, often witty denunciation of those contemporary novels that see man in "sub-human" terms.

LETTERS OF ELLEN GLAS-
GOW. Compiled and edited by Blair Rouse. (Harcourt, Brace. \$6.75.) — The correspondence of the Virginia novelist (1897-1945) — sometimes sharp and witty, sometimes matter-of-fact.

HISTORY

THE MEDDLESOME FRIAR AND THE WAYWARD POPE. Michael de la Bedoyere. (Hanover. \$4.) — The Renaissance conflict between the ascetic Dominican, Savonarola, and the Borgia pontiff Alexander VI.

THE FRENCH NATION. D. W.

Brogan. (Harper. \$4.50.) — A sweeping picture of men and events—political, military, artistic and social—from Napoleon to Petain.

MORE LIGHT ON THE DEAD SEA SCROLLS. Millar Burrows. (Viking. \$6.50.) — A leading scholar reports on what discoveries of the past three years have added to our knowledge of biblical history.

THE GREAT DEMOCRACIES. Winston S. Churchill. (Dodd, Mead. \$6.) — Sir Winston concludes his massive "History of the English-speaking Peoples" with this fourth volume covering the nine decades from Napoleon's downfall to the Boer War.

DEATH OF A NATION. Clifford Dowdey. (Knopf. \$5.) — The battle of Gettysburg told from the Confederate point of view in the first volume of a projected series on the Army of Northern Virginia.

THE DECISION TO INTERVENE. George F. Kennan. (Princeton. \$7.50.) — The former Ambassador to Moscow continues his history of Soviet-American relations with this second volume which deals with the landing of Allied forces in Russia in 1918.

THE MILLIONTH CHANCE. James Leasor. (Reynal. \$4.) — The largest airship ever built, the British dirigible R. 101, and how, though deemed safe, it crashed one June night in 1930.

THE STRENGTH TO MOVE A MOUNTAIN. W. Storrs Lee. (Putnam's. \$5.) — A spirited account of "that triumph over mountains, mosquitos and sliding mud"—the building of the Panama Canal.

AN END TO VALOR. Philip Van Doren Stern. (Houghton Mifflin. \$5.75.) — The waning weeks of the Civil War, from Lincoln's second inaugural to the Grand Army Review, retold with color and drama.

GRAF ZEPPELIN. J. Gordon Vaeth. (Harper. \$4.) — An account by an American journalist of the era of the German dirigibles, and especially of the Graf Zeppelin and its commander Hugo Eckener.

THEY GATHERED AT THE RIVER. Bernard A. Weisberger. (Little, Brown. \$5.) —

A comprehensive, not overly solemn history of the great revivalists in America.

THE AMERICAN EARTH-QUAKE. Edmund Wilson. (Doubleday-Anchor. \$6.) — Essays written in the Twenties and Thirties that together form a sharp picture of this country from boom to bust.

OWEN WISTER OUT WEST. Edited by Fanny Kemble Wister. (University of Chicago Press. \$5.) — Excerpts from the journals and letters, 1885-95, of the author of "The Virginian."

POETRY

BRUTUS'S ORCHARD. Roy Fuller. (Macmillan. \$2.50.) — Austere and compassionate verses by a young Englishman.

A DEAD SPARROW. Brian Gilles. (Abelard-Schuman. \$2.50.) — Lively verses in a first book by a promising young Britisher.

J. B. Archibald MacLeish. (Houghton Mifflin. \$3.50.) — A play in verse that sees the plight of modern man through the story of Job.

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THE OPEN SEA and Other Poems. William Meredith. (Knopf. \$3.50.) — A third volume by one of the younger poets, a man who touches on learned themes with ease and informality.

THE DARK SISTER. Winifred Townley Scott. (New York University. \$3.95.) — A long narrative poem dealing with the tragic voyage of Leif Ericson's half-sister, Freydis, to the New World and back.

SCIENCE

THE VOYAGE OF THE LUCKY DRAGON. Ralph E. Lapp. (Harper. \$3.50.) — An account of the cruise of a Japanese fishing boat and of how its catch, radioactive from the 1954 U-bomb test, had far-reaching political and scientific consequences.

THE INCURABLE WOUND. Berton Roueche. (Little, Brown. \$3.50.) — Tales of medical detection involving such matters as bat rabies and poisoning by $CH_3CO_2C_6CO_2H$ (aspirin, to you).

OUR NUCLEAR FUTURE. Edward Teller and Albert L. Latter. (Criterion. \$3.50.) — Two nuclear physicists, one of them the "father of the H-bomb," describe uses of atomic research and plead for continuation of the A. E. C.'s testing program.

TRAVEL

THE LOST WORLD OF THE CAUCASUS. Negley Farson. (Doubleday. \$4.) — A journalist's evocative account of a journey through remote southern Russia in 1929.

GIVE ME THE WORLD. Leila Hadley. (Simon & Schuster. \$5.) — A young Manhattan divorcee, determined to get away from it all, takes her son on a global jaunt.

PEOPLE OF THE REEDS. Gavin Maxwell. (Harper. \$4.50.) — A Britisher's wanderings among the primitive marsh-dwellers of southern Iraq told vividly and poetically.

FROM QUEENSLAND TO THE GREAT BARRIER REEF. Noel Monkman. (Doubleday. \$4.50.) — Experiences of a naturalist in filming Australian wildlife.

ARABESQUE AND HONEY-COMB. Sachaeverell Sitwell. (Random. \$6.) — Civilized, richly detailed report on the Middle East, with emphasis on its architectural wonders.

WORLD AFFAIRS

POWER AND DIPLOMACY.

Dean Acheson. (Harvard. \$3.) — Critical analysis of our current foreign policy by Truman's Secretary of State.

IDEAS, PEOPLE AND PEACE.

Chester Bowles. (Harper. \$2.50.) — Discussion of recent world developments and their relation to the United States, by a former Ambassador to India.

THE HEART OF INDIA.

Alexander Campbell. (Knopf. \$5.) — Vignettes showing the less romantic side of Indian life by a Scottish journalist.

GERMANY AND FREEDOM.

James Bryant Conant. (Harvard. \$3.) — Optimistic account of contemporary political and economic developments in West Germany by the former Harvard president and former U. S. Ambassador to Bonn.

BITTER LEMONS.

Lawrence Durrell. (Dutton. \$3.50.) — The agitation in Cyprus for union with Greece, based upon the English novelist's personal experiences.

THE FIRST TEN YEARS.

Walter Blyth. (Simon & Schuster. \$4.) — Israel's Foreign Minister recapitulates the achievements of his country's first decade and ventures some predictions.

FOREIGN POLICY.

Thomas K. Finletter. (Harper. \$3.50.) — A call for a new stance in our foreign relations, by a former Secretary of the Air Force.

INSIDE RUSSIA TODAY.

John Gunther. (Harper. \$6.95.) — A compendium brimful of facts and impressions of the U. S. S. R.'s people, politics, culture and geography.

RUSSIA, THE ATOM AND

THE WEST.

George F. Kennan. (Harper. \$2.50.) — Proposals for radical changes in the policy of the West toward Russia by one of our most experienced diplomatic hands.

INDIA AND AMERICA.

Philip Talbot and S. L. Poplai. (Harper. \$2.75.) — Differences and resemblances in the policies of the two countries.

Best Seller List

| May 18 | May 25 | June 1 | This Week | An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 37 cities showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart. | Weeks on list |
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| 8 | 12 | 9 | 7 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys! <i>Shulman</i> | 41 |
| 7 | 6 | 6 | 8 | The Sergeant. <i>Murphy</i> | 10 |
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| 14 | 11 | 10 | 10 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters. <i>Taylor</i> | 7 |
| 11 | 10 | 12 | 11 | By Love Possessed. <i>Cozens</i> | 40 |
| | | 16 | 12 | A Death in the Family. <i>Agee</i> | 12 |
| 12 | 14 | 11 | 13 | Maggie-Now. <i>Smith</i> | 15 |
| | | 15 | 14 | The Mountain Road. <i>White</i> | 2 |
| 10 | 8 | 13 | 15 | The White Witch. <i>Goudge</i> | 20 |
| | 15 | | 16 | The Underground City. <i>Humes</i> | 2 |
| General | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Masters of Deceit. <i>J. Edgar Hoover</i> | 11 |
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| 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies. <i>Kerr</i> | 26 |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | Kids Say the Darndest Things! <i>Linkletter</i> | 29 |
| 13 | 7 | 5 | 5 | Dear Abby. <i>Van Buren</i> | 4 |
| 5 | 5 | 6 | 6 | Madison Avenue, U. S. A. <i>Moyer</i> | 11 |
| 11 | 8 | 7 | 7 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson. <i>Herbert Hoover</i> | 4 |
| 6 | 6 | 8 | 8 | The Great Democracies. <i>Churchill</i> | 12 |
| | 14 | | 9 | Land Without Justice. <i>Djilas</i> | 2 |
| 7 | 9 | 11 | 10 | Life Plus 99 Years. <i>Leopold</i> | 12 |
| 9 | 11 | 9 | 11 | "Where Did You Go?" "Out." "What Did You Do?" "Nothing." <i>Smith</i> | 43 |
| 8 | 10 | 13 | 12 | Baruchi: My Own Story. | 40 |
| | 16 | 15 | 13 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso. <i>Diascon</i> | 6 |
| | | 14 | | How to Do Nothing With Nobody All Alone by Yourself. <i>Smith</i> | 1 |
| | 16 | 15 | | The Face of Minnesota. <i>Szarkowski</i> | 2 |
| 15 | 10 | 16 | | Herb Caen's New Guide to San Francisco. | 3 |

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Other recent books which, in the opinion of the staff of this Review, are of particular literary, topical or scholarly interest.

Fiction

A Friend in Power, by *Carlos Baker*. A suspenseful and moral tale of a university's search for a new president.
The Ginger Man, by *J. P. Donleavy*. The comic, amorous adventures of a red-bearded rogue in England and Ireland.
The Magic Barrel, by *Bernard Malamud*. Stories ranging from New York to Rome, of personal crises in ordinary lives.
Two Women, by *Alberto Moravia*. A realistic tale of the sufferings of a mother and daughter in war-torn Italy of 1943.

General

Foreign Policy, by *Thomas K. Finletter*. A former Air Force Secretary charts a foreign policy for America.
From Ape to Angel, by *H. R. Heys*. An informal history of social anthropology and its applications for today.
The Strength to Move a Mountain, by *W. Storrs Lee*. A spirited account of the building of the Panama Canal.
They Gathered at the River, by *Bernard A. Weissberger*. The great revivalists and their impact upon religion in America.

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**The Sunday Star
WEEKLY BOOK SURVEY**

The Sunday Star has arranged with some of the leading book sellers of Washington and suburban areas to report each week the books which sell best as a guide to what Washington is reading. The numbers represent the rank of each book among best sellers at the store named.

Report for week ending May 30.

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| "Anatomy of a Murder," Traver | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "A Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| "Winthrop Woman," Seton | 5 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| "North From Rome," MacInnes | 1 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| "Greengage Summer," Godden | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| "Mountain Road," White | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 |
| NONFICTION | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| "Inside Russia Today," Gunther | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 4 |
| "Masters of Deceit," Hoover | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 6 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| "Ideal of Woodrow Wilson," Hoover | 5 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| "Land Without Justice," Djilas | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| "Great Democracies," Churchill | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

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J. Edgar's Job

LACOCHEE. — I regard our FBI as a very fine institution of high character, great skill, and supreme importance to our society. But its function is to detect crime as defined by our legislative bodies, not to forge political ideologies.

Mr. Hoover, the director, in his latest research into the Communist issue, appears to me to have become victimized by his obsessions. He tells American citizens they should not take any stand even on the most legitimate matters of society's concern unless they are certain no Communist is involved in the action.

I cannot understand how any political clique, Communist or otherwise, can hope to propagate evil designs by encouraging or intriguing honest people to engage in the propagating of honest affairs. And I do not believe Mr. Hoover can.

And if the Communists are so important that they must disguise their dishonesty and work through legitimacy, it seems Mr. Hoover is assigning them an importance that is both ideologically and mathematically disproportionate.

The late Nazi fester infested the German people with tragedy not through the so-called subversives but through the delusion of the German people themselves, who consented to the proposition that the men they were paying to detect crime and subversion were capable of defining them.

When the individual citizen fears to stand for what he thinks right for any reason whatsoever, it won't make any difference whether the country is run from Moscow or from Mr. Hoover's office.

The catastrophe of merging the law-enforcing and the law-making functions is not alone in the introduction of bad law-making, but also in the loss of good law-enforcing. Heaven knows we can not afford either result.

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THE AMERICAN COMMUNIST PARTY
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THE AMERICAN Communist Party MAY
be divided into Marxist categories and and
not with a bang, but with a book review.
But like the American party threatens
to be the most written-about splinter group
in history.

A year ago, Theodore Draper began pub-
lication of an ambitious multi-volume history
of American communism; the Fund for the
Republic is financing no less than a dozen
special book-length studies of the party;
today, J. Edgar Hoover's threadbare tract
on native communism is, incredibly, the non-
fiction best-seller.

And now Irving Howe and Lewis Coser
present us with what the publishers proudly
describe as the "only full-scale one volume
study" of American Communists.

FULL-SCALE it surely is. In this plump
(893 pages) volume, Howe and Coser have
given us a thorough account of every schism
and dialectical handspring which occurred
in the domestic party from its birth in 1919
to its virtual collapse in 1957.

The authors, a literary critic and a socio-
logist, write with vigor and sophistication.
Their volume is undoubtedly an important
contribution in chronicling a movement
which, they estimate, issued membership
cards to a half million Americans.

Yet much of the book is doleful and un-
rewarding reading, an anthology of musty
quotations from manifestos, resolutions and
Daily Worker editorials. Only the patholo-
gist and the Un-American Activities Com-
mittee could possibly be interested in the

story of the faceted party schismatics who
wandered so bitterly so often for so long.

With two exceptions, the reader is struck
by the essential marginality of the party,
and of the emptiness of the myth which
ascribes such fearsome power and ability to
the world's least competent Communist
party.

The first exception was the brief period
in the 1930s when the Communists com-
manded the sympathy of a score of writers
of the first rank, including such as Sherwood
Anderson, John Dos Passos and Edmund
Wilson. But as the history makes clear,
the rigid dogmatism within the party soon
alienated its eminent intellectual allies.

The second exception was, of course, the
labor movement in which the Communists
played a critical part. Yet most of the
pro-Communists who helped form the CIO
have either defected from the party, or
passed into limbo. Those like Harry Bridges,
who seem steadfast, retain influence more
because they are able labor leaders than
because they are loyal supporters of com-
munist.

IN READING the dreary record of the
party, one is struck by the fact that Amer-
icans do not make good Communists. The
astonishingly high turnover in the domestic
party is understandable, because although
a spirit of rebellion brought many Americans
to the party's door, they soon found that the
party required surrender of the very impulse
which led them to join.

As the authors point out in their thought-
ful conclusion:

"Stalinism came into being as a caricature,
a vast and terrible distortion of the profound
yearning of modern man for a new world
and a better life. The power of the car-
icature should be sufficient testimony to the
need for the genuine."

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Best Seller List

| May 4 | May 11 | May 18 | This Week | Weeks on List |
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| An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 37 cities showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart. | | | | |
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| Fiction | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Anatomy of a Murder. Traver 18 |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | The Winthrop Woman. Seton 12 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | Ice Palace. Ferber 9 |
| 9 | 4 | 4 | 4 | A Summer Place. Wilson 5 |
| 4 | 5 | 5 | 5 | North From Rome. MacInnes 12 |
| 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 | The Sergeant. Murphy 3 |
| 6 | 7 | 6 | 7 | The Greengage Summer. Godden 7 |
| 7 | 12 | 10 | 8 | The White Witch. Goudge 18 |
| 13 | 10 | 9 | 9 | The Mackerel Plaza. De Vries 6 |
| 5 | 8 | 11 | 10 | By Love Possessed. Cozzens 38 |
| 16 | 14 | 14 | 11 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters. Taylor 5 |
| 10 | 9 | 8 | 12 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys! Shulman 39 |
| | | 13 | 13 | Lover's Point. Lee 2 |
| 11 | 11 | 12 | 14 | Maggie-Now. Smith 13 |
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| 14 | 16 | 15 | 16 | Ride the Red Earth. Wellman 8 |
| | | | | General |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Masters of Deceit. V. Edgar Hoover 9 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | Inside Russia Today. Gunther 5 |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies. Kerr 24 |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | Kids Say the Darndest Things! Linkletter 27 |
| 5 | 6 | 5 | 5 | Madison Avenue. U. S. A. Meyer 9 |
| 7 | 5 | 6 | 6 | The Great Democracies. Churchill 10 |
| | 13 | 7 | 7 | Dear Abby. Van Buren 2 |
| | | 11 | 8 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson. Herbert Hoover 2 |
| 8 | 9 | 7 | 9 | Life Plus 99 Years. Leopold 10 |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 10 | Baruch: My Own Story. 38 |
| 12 | 10 | 9 | 11 | "Where Did You Go?" "Out." "What Did You Do?" "Nothing." Smith 41 |
| 14 | 12 | 12 | 12 | To Live Again. Marshall 29 |
| 9 | 11 | 14 | 13 | Attorney for the Damned. Weinberg 19 |
| | | 14 | | Land Without Justice. Djiles 1 |
| | | 15 | | Herb Caen's New Guide to San Francisco. 1 |
| | | 16 | | The Private World of Pablo Picasso. Duncan 4 |

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- The Magic Barrel, by Bernard Malamud. *Stories ranging from New York to Rome, of personal crises in ordinary lives.*
- The Mountain Road, by Theodore H. White. *An American major and his demolition team in the 1944 Chinese retreat.*
- Two Women, by Alberto Moravia. *A realistic tale of the sufferings of a mother and daughter in war-torn Italy of 1943.*

General

- A. E. Housman, by Maude M. Hawkins. *Some new insights into the mind and character of the English poet and scholar.*
- First Lady of the South, by Isobel Ross. *An objective, full-length portrait of Varina Howell, wife of Jefferson Davis.*
- From Ape to Angel, by H. R. Hays. *An informal history of social anthropology and its applications for today.*
- George Washington, by Marcus Cunliffe. *A young British scholar's fresh interpretation of our national hero as man and legend.*

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| "Anatomy of a Murder," Traver | 1 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | | | | |
| "Winthrop Woman," Seton | 5 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 3 | | | | |
| "A Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 2 | | 2 | 5 | | | | |
| "Ice Palace," Ferber | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | | 3 | 1 | | | | |
| "Wheel of Earth," Sandburg | 4 | | | | 2 | | | | 4 | 6 | | | |
| "Greengage Summer," Godden | | | | | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | | | | | |
| NONFICTION | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| "Inside Russia Today," Gunther | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | |
| "Masters of Deceit," Hoover | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | |
| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 3 | | | |
| "Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson," Hoover | 4 | | 5 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | | | | |
| "Madison Avenue U.S.A.," Mayer | 3 | | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| "Great Democracies," Churchill | | | | | 4 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 5 | | | | |

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What America Reads

| May 25 This Week's Score | The Herald Tribune arranges with the country's leading booksellers to report each week the best selling six titles, in fiction and non-fiction to give an over-all picture of what is being read in America. Only titles reported three or more times are charted. This week's chart is based on reports received by May 19. | Number of Stores | Total Weeks Listed |
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| 1 | Anatomy of a Murder, by Robert Traver | 41 | 19 |
| 2 | Ice Palace, by Edna Ferber | 37 | 9 |
| 3 | The Winthrop Woman, by Anya Seton | 35 | 13 |
| 4 | A Summer Place, by Sloan Wilson | 29 | 6 |
| 5 | The Greengate Summer, by Rumer Godden | 18 | 7 |
| 6 | North From Rome, by Helen MacInnes | 16 | 14 |
| 7 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | 14 | 40 |
| 8 | By Love Possessed, by James Gould Cozzens | 10 | 38 |
| 9 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheevers, by R. L. Taylor | 10 | 3 |
| 10 | The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | 8 | 19 |
| 11 | The Sergeant, by Dennis Murphy | 7 | 8 |
| 12 | Maggie-Now, by Betty Smith | 6 | 13 |
| 13 | The Mackerel Piazza, by Peter De Vries | 6 | 9 |
| 14 | A Death in the Family, by James Agee | 5 | 14 |
| 15 | The Mountain Road, by Theodore H. White | 4 | 2 |
| 16 | Time and the Hour, by Howard Spring | 3 | 13 |
| 17 | The Ten Thousand Things, by Maria Dermout | 3 | 8 |

NON-FICTION

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| 1 | Inside Russia Today, by John Gunther | 45 | 6 |
| 2 | Masters of Deceit, by J. Edgar Hoover | 41 | 11 |
| 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies, by Jean Kerr | 40 | 25 |
| 4 | Kids Say the Darndest Things, by Art Linkletter | 33 | 28 |
| 5 | Dear Abby, by Abigail Van Buren | 21 | 3 |
| 6 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson, by Herbert Hoover | 13 | 3 |
| 7 | To Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 12 | 30 |
| 8 | Where Did You Go? Out, by Robert Paul Smith | 6 | 44 |
| 9 | The Great Democracies, by Winston S. Churchill | 6 | 10 |
| 10 | The Day Christ Died, by Jim Bishop | 5 | 38 |
| 11 | Peter French's Book of the Seven Seas | 5 | 25 |
| 12 | Madison Avenue, U.S.A., by Martin Mayer | 5 | 10 |
| 13 | The Hidden Persuaders, by Vance Packard | 4 | 53 |
| 14 | Baruch: My Own Story, by Bernard M. Baruch | 4 | 39 |
| 15 | Live At Peace With Your Nerves, by W. G. Alvarez | 4 | 6 |
| 16 | Attorney for the Damned: C. Darrow, ed. by Weinberg | 3 | 16 |
| 17 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso, by D. D. Duncan | 3 | 7 |

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schild, Kohn & Remington's. *Boston*—Lauriat's. *Cedar Rapids*—Morris
Sanford. *Chicago*—Cokesbury. *Cleveland*—Halle Bros. • Kerner &
Wood. *Dallas*—Cokesbury. *Dayton*—Rike-Kumler. *Denver*—Kendrick-
Bellamy. *Detroit*—J. L. Hudson. *Evansville*—Smith & Butterfield.
Greensboro—Wills Book & Stationery. *Hollywood*—Pickwick. *Indian-
apolis*—L. S. Ayres. *Kansas City*—Cokesbury. *Larchmont*—Anderson's.
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tan's • Macy's • Scribner. *Omaha*—Matthews. *Pasadena*—Vroman's.
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J. K. Gill. *Providence*—The Book Shop. *Rochester*—Scranton's. *Sac-
ramento*—Levinson's. *S. Paul*—St. Paul Book & Stationery. *Salt Lake
City*—Deseret. *San Antonio*—Joske's of Texas. *San Francisco*—Paul
Elder's • Emporium. *Santa Barbara*—Osborne's. *Seattle*—Frederick &
Nelson. • Hartman's Books • University. *Spokane*—John W. Graham.
Toledo—Lamson's. *Washington, D. C.*—Woodward & Lothrop. *Wilming-
ton*—Greenwood Book Shop. *Yakima*—Broad's.

What Are People Reading?

(The following list of bestsellers was compiled by The New York Times. The 10 fiction and general titles have been listed according to their sales over the past three weeks.)

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| GENERAL | |
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| 1. Anatomy of a Murder. | 1. Masters of Deceit: Hoover |
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| 2. The Winthrop Woman. | 3. Inside Russia Today. |
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| 3. Ice Palace, Ferber | 4. Kids Say the Darndest Things! Linkletter |
| 4. A Summer Place, Wilson | 5. Madison Avenue, U.S.A. |
| 5. North From Rome. | Mayer |
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| 6. The Greengate Summer. | Churchill |
| Godden | 7. Life Plus 99 Years. |
| 7. The Sergeant, Murphy | Leopold |
| 8. Rally 'Round the Flag, | 8. Baruch My Own Story. |
| Boys! Shulman | 9. "Where Did You Go?" |
| 9. The Mackarel Plaza. | "Out?" "What Did You Do?" |
| De Vries | "Nothing." Smith |
| 10. The White Witch, Goudge | 10. The Day Christ Died. |
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AND HE SHOWS HOW AND WHY IN HIS NATION-WIDE #1 BEST SELLER

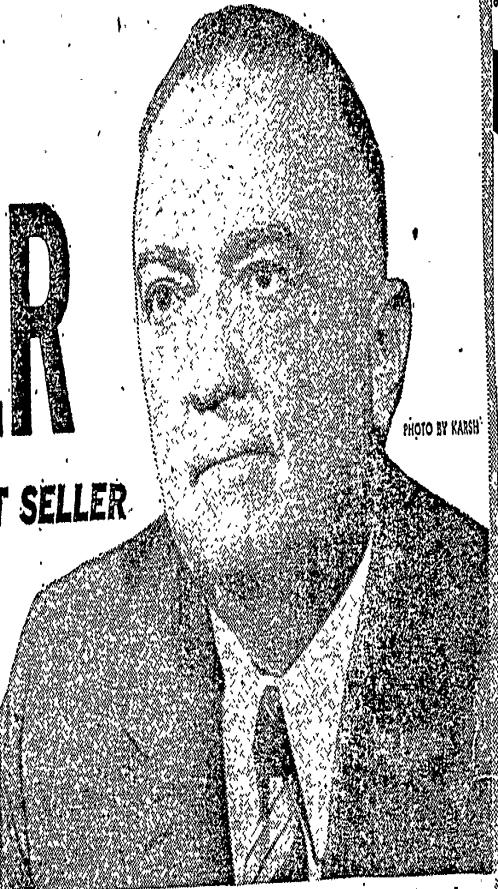


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In the foreword to
MASTERS OF DECEIT
Mr. Hoover writes:

Every citizen has a duty to learn more about the menace that threatens his future, his home, his children, the peace of the world—and that is why I have written this book.

If you will take the time to inform

Today, as I write these words, my conclusions of 1919 remain the same. Communism is the major menace of our time. Today, it threatens the very existence of our Western civilization.

Communism is more than an economic, political, social, or philosophical doctrine. It is a way of life; a false, materialistic "religion." It would strip man of his belief in God, his heritage of freedom, his trust in love, justice, and mercy. Under communism, all would become, as so many already have, twentieth-century slaves.

Ever since 1917, I have observed the rise of international communism with

Who is Your Enemy?

asks Mr. Hoover, and in the first chapter of **MASTERS OF DECEIT**, reprinted here in part, he identifies the enemy for you:

Many Americans have not stopped to realize what a "Soviet America" would mean. The communists, however, have no doubts. Their blueprints are already made.

In June, 1957, Nikita Khrushchev, Soviet Communist Party boss, was interviewed before a nation-wide American television audience. With calm assurance he stated:

In 1922, when Communist Party membership reached 12,400, William Z. Foster said, "... we no longer measure the importance of revolutionary organizations by size. In some places where there are only one or two men, more results are obtained than where they have larger organizations..."

This has been the communist line down through the years. Foster in 1951 stated, "Communist strength...cannot be measured even approximately by statistics... The Communist Parties' strength runs far beyond all formal measurements..."

The Party's membership in this country reached a low in 1930 when it

eliminated. "Soviets" (meaning councils) would be formed throughout the nation. These would consist of local Communist Party henchmen who would depose and probably liquidate your mayor, chief of police, clergymen, and

blueprinted their objectives. The time is far too late not to recognize this "ism" for what it is: a threat to humanity and to each of us.

Moreover, there is the sobering fact that since the end of World War II we have spent billions of dollars to defend ourselves from communism's aggression. This burden will continue to mount until the world is free from the communist menace.

This book is an attempt to explain communism—what it is, how it works, what its aims are, and, most important of all, what we need to know to combat it.

In writing this book I have been guided by many years of study and observation of the communist conspiracy in action in the United States.

As a Special Assistant to the Attorney General of the United States in 1919, I was assigned to prepare a legal brief on the newly formed Communist Party and Communist Labor Party. This necessitated an extensive and penetrating study.

The amount of material was voluminous: Party statements, resolutions, platforms, news accounts, manifestoes, the very first documents of American communism. I studied also the writings of Marx, Engels, and Lenin as well as the activities of the Third International.

In this brief, which was submitted to the Attorney General, I concluded:

These doctrines threaten the happiness of the community, the safety of every individual, and the convenience of every home and fire-side. They would destroy the peace of the country and thrust it into a condition of anarchy and lawlessness and immorality that passes imagination.

My purpose has been to assemble, organize, and present basic, everyday facts of communism which will be of maximum help to the people of our country in recognizing and fighting the enemy in our midst.

But most of all, I have been guided by the thought of millions of loyal Americans everywhere and in all walks of life. Never has there been a time when we have so much need for one another. And we must never forget that if our government is to remain free, it needs the help of every patriotic man, woman, and child.

American way of life. The Communist Party, USA, started in 1919 as a small, disorganized group of fanatics. Today, it is a dedicated, conspiratorial group operating under modern conditions as an arm of revolution. There is no doubt that America is now the prime target of international communism.

Obviously, this book does not pretend to disclose a body of material known exclusively to the FBI. What it does express is the hope that all of us may develop a shared body of rudimentary knowledge about communism: a body of knowledge that we dare not be without.

To My Great-Grandson Joseph Manley-Koko Who Will Live in a Communist United States,

These words of Russia's top Party boss and one of the highest-ranking communists in the United States reveal the nature of the enemy we face.

The communist is thinking in terms of now, in your lifetime. Remember that within four decades communism, as a state power, has spread through roughly 40 percent of the world's population and 25 percent of the earth's surface. Some years ago communists were complaining that their "fatherland," Soviet Russia, was enclosed a communist island in a "capitalist" sea. Today the situation is changed. The world communist movement is on the march, into Germany, the Balkans, the Middle East, stretching across the plains of Asia into China, Korea, and Indochina. Communists have never won over an entire country by a free election and have never hesitated to shed blood if this would best serve their purposes. Moreover, in noncommunist countries thousands of Party members are working for Moscow. Communists firmly believe they are destined to conquer the world.

This belief is held in the United States too. A disciplined Party of hard-core fanatical members is now at work, with their fellow-travelers, sympathizers, opportunists, and dupes. Communists in our country, though small in numbers do not feel lonely. They have faith in the "big Red brother" who will come to their help.

In recent years there has been a tendency to discount the menace of domestic communists solely because of a decline in Party membership. In fact, some have gone so far as to say "... the party... is almost over." Let's examine that statement.

grandchildren in America will live under socialism. And please do not be afraid of that. Your grandfather will... not understand how their grandparents did not understand the progressive nature of a socialist society."

80,000 in 1944; its membership at five-year intervals since 1930 has been as follows: 1935—30,000; 1940—55,000 (a drop of 15,000 from 1939); 1945—64,600 (a drop of 15,400 from 1944); 1950—43,200; 1955—22,000; and by the summer of 1957 membership had further declined. However, over the years it has been estimated by the communist leaders themselves that for every Party member ten others are ready, willing, and able to do the Party's work.

Fluctuations in the American Party parallel those in foreign countries. The record clearly establishes that Communist Parties have the power of swift and solid growth when the opportunity arises. The following figures reflect how Party membership can dwindle and then spurt:

In Italy, Party membership went from 600 in 1919 to 2,500,000 in 1951; in France, from 20,000 in 1929 to 400,000 in 1956; in Syria, from 250 in 1931 to 10,000 in 1956; in Brazil, from 25,000 in late 1947 to 100,000 in 1955; and in Indonesia, from 30,000 in 1953 to 500,000 in 1956.

When the Communist Party was at its peak in the United States it was stronger in numbers than the Soviet Party was at the time it seized power in Russia.

The size of the party in the various Soviet satellites at the time each came under Soviet control discloses how a well-organized band of revolutionaries can impose its rule over the majority population:

| Country and Date of Communist Take-over | CP Membership on That Date | Population on That Date |
|---|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| BULGARIA Sept. 1945 | 20,000 | 7,020,000 |
| ROMANIA March, 1948 | 800,000 | 16,400,000 |
| POLAND Jan., 1949 | 1,000,000 | 25,225,000 |
| CZECHOSLOVAKIA May, 1948 | 1,325,000 | 12,335,000 |
| HUNGARY Aug., 1947 | 750,000 | 9,335,000 |
| ALBANIA Dec. 1945 | 12,000 | 3,120,000 |
| YUGOSLAVIA May, 1945 | 161,000 | 14,500,000 |

Under communism, a tiny minority, perhaps ten to twenty men, would rule the United States. An open dictatorship called the "dictatorship of the proletariat" would be established. Communists, in all their teachings, make this point clear. National as well as state and local governments would be

leading citizens.

The Constitution, and all our laws, would be abolished. If you owned productive property you would be arrested as an "exploiter," hauled before a revolutionary court, and sentenced to a concentration camp—that is, if you convinced the "judge" you were worth saving, at all. All property used in production would be confiscated, thus leading ultimately to total communism, meaning state ownership. This confiscation would include your home, business, bank deposits, and related personal possessions. These would "belong to everybody." You have no "right" to own them under the communist scheme.

The revolution would affect every man, woman, and child in America. Communists do not propose to remodel our government or retain any part of it. They would tear it to the ground, destroy all opposition, and then create a new government, an American province in the Soviet world empire. Their recipe for action? The 1917 Soviet revolution, tailored to modern conditions. The communists themselves have made the claim:

The principles upon which a Soviet America would be organized would be the same, in every respect, as those which guided the Soviet Union.

William Z. Foster, long-time head of the communist movement in our country, has boasted that the communist revolution, after the actual seizure of power, would "develop even more swiftly" than the Russian.

All industry would be nationalized and firms taken away from their owners. Rent, profits, and insurance would be abolished. Countless occupations, termed by the communists as "useless and parasitic," would be ended. Here is a part of their list: wholesalers, jobbers, real estate men and stockbrokers, advertising specialists, traveling salesmen, lawyers. The communists have a special disdain for lawyers. Perhaps it is because there will be no need for lawyers when there are no rights to defend. At any rate, Foster has said, "The post of lawyers will be abolished."

Action would be drastic, immediate, and without appeal. An armed "Red Guard" would enforce the orders of Party henchmen. Hotels, country clubs, and swimming pools would be used for the benefit of "workers," meaning, in

government, and no laborer would be permitted to organize a union or to strike against his "government."

The press would be muzzled, free speech forbidden, and complete conformity demanded. If you expressed an opinion contrary to the Party line, you should have known better and your "disappearance" would serve as a lesson for others. Fear becomes an enforcement technique. Movies, radio and television would be taken over by the government as agencies for government propaganda. Churches would probably not be closed immediately, but they would be heavily taxed, their property seized by the state, and religious schools liquidated. Clergymen would be required to accept the Party line. "God does not exist. Why worship Him?" say the communists. Children would be placed in nurseries and special indoctrination schools. Women, boast the communists, would be relieved of housework. How? Huge factory and apartment-house kitchens would be set up, so that women would be "free" to work in factories and mines along with the men.

Communism is many things: an economic system, a philosophy, a political creed, a psychological conditioning, an educational indoctrination, a directed way of life. The most minute details, even the time your alarm clock goes off in the morning or the amount of cream in your coffee, are subjects for state supervision. They want to make a "communist man" a mechanical puppet, whom they can train to do as the Party desires. This is the ultimate, and tragic, aim of communism.

These statements are confirmed, day after day, by documented reports from areas where communists have already taken over Hungary, East Germany, Bulgaria, Poland, Roumania, Czechoslovakia; Red China, and other areas.

When you read such reports, do not think of them as something happening in a far-off land. Remember, always, that "it could happen here" and that there are thousands of people in this country now working in secret to make it happen here.

But also, thank God, there are millions of Americans who oppose them. If we open our eyes, inform ourselves, and work together, we can keep our country free.

MASTERS OF DECEIT

EDGAR HOOVER

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THE STORY OF COMMUNISM IN AMERICA AND HOW TO FIGHT IT

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THE STORY OF COMMUNISM IN AMERICA and how to fight it is told in J. Edgar Hoover's "Masters of Deceit." It is a special gift for the Alexandria Library to librarian Miss Ellen Coolidge Burke (right) from Mrs. Waldo Moore. The presentation was made Wednesday afternoon at the International Relations Department meeting of the Alexandria Women's Club, held at the home of Mrs. J. Roland Goode. (Photo by Marler)

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FBI Director Wins Christopher Award

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, author of the best-selling "Masters of Deceit," today was named one of the five winners of the semi-annual Christopher book awards.

The Rev. James Keller, founder of the Christophers, emphasized in an announcement that the awards are given to "authors whose works reflect positive values and the constructive use of their God-given talents."

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FBI Director Wins Christopher Prize

FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, and author of "Masters of Deceit," today was cited as one of the five winners of Christopher Awards for books published in the six months ending March 31.

"Masters of Deceit," an expose of the Communist conspiracy in America, was published serially in the N. Y. Journal-American and other Hearst Newspapers.

Father James Keller, founder of The Christophers, said the awards are given semi-annually to authors whose works "reflect positive values and the constructive use of their God-given talents."

OTHER AWARDS

Other receiving the latest Christopher awards were:

Donald Adams for "Triumph over Odds."

Charles Ferguson for "Naked to Mine Enemies."

Oscar Handlin for "Al Smith and His America."

W. A. Swanberg for "First Blood — The Story of Fort Sumter."

Each of the authors was presented with a bronze plaque engraved with the Christopher motto: "Better to light one candle than to curse the darkness."

The Christopher movement, which has headquarters at 18 E. 48th st., emphasizes the importance of each individual taking constructive steps to strengthen government, education, labor relations, literature and entertainment.

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Best Seller List

| | April 27 | May 4 | May 11 | This Week | | Weeks on List |
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| <i>An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 37 cities showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart.</i> | | | | | | |
| | | | | | Fiction | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | Anatomy of a Murder. <i>Traver</i> | 17 |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | The Winthrop Woman. <i>Selos</i> | 11 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | | Ice Palace. <i>Forber</i> | 8 |
| 11 | 9 | 4 | 4 | | A Summer Place. <i>Wilson</i> | 4 |
| 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 | | North From Rome. <i>MacInnes</i> | 11 |
| 10 | 6 | 7 | 6 | | The Greengage Summer. <i>Goddon</i> | 6 |
| 7 | 8 | 6 | 7 | | The Sergeant. <i>Murphy</i> | 7 |
| 5 | 10 | 9 | 8 | | Rally Round the Flag, Boys! <i>Shulman</i> | 38 |
| 14 | 13 | 10 | 9 | | The Mackeral Plaza. <i>De Vries</i> | 5 |
| 8 | 7 | 12 | 10 | | The White Witch. <i>Goudge</i> | 17 |
| 6 | 5 | 8 | 11 | | By Love Possessed. <i>Cazzens</i> | 37 |
| 9 | 11 | 11 | 12 | | Maggie-Now. <i>Smith</i> | 12 |
| | | | 13 | | Lover's Point. <i>Lee</i> | 1 |
| 12 | 16 | 14 | 14 | | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters. <i>Taylor</i> | 4 |
| 13 | 14 | 16 | 15 | | Ride the Red Earth. <i>Wellman</i> | 7 |
| 15 | 12 | 13 | 16 | | Exile and the Kingdom. <i>Conrad</i> | 8 |
| | | | | | General | |
| 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | Masters of Deceit. <i>J. Edgar Hoover</i> | 8 |
| 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | Please Don't Eat the Daisies. <i>Kerr</i> | 23 |
| 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | | Inside Russia Today. <i>Gantner</i> | 4 |
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| 9 | 8 | 9 | 7 | | Life Plus 99 Years. <i>Leopold</i> | 9 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | | Baruch: My Own Story. <i>Baruch</i> | 37 |
| 8 | 12 | 10 | 9 | | "Where Did You Go?" "Out." "What Did You Do?" "Nothing." <i>Smith</i> | 40 |
| 10 | 13 | 8 | 10 | | The Day Christ Died. <i>Bishop</i> | 33 |
| | | | 11 | | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson. <i>Herbert Hoover</i> | 1 |
| 14 | 14 | 12 | 12 | | To Live Again. <i>Marshall</i> | 28 |
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—And Bear in Mind

Other recent books which, in the opinion of the staff of this Review, are of particular literary, topical or scholarly interest.

Fiction

Afternoon of an Author, by F. Scott Fitzgerald. A selection of uncollected stories and essays, edited by Arthur Mizener.

Seasons of Jupiter, by Anand Lall. A subtle tale of a young and aristocratic Indian's experimental search for identity.

The Contenders, by John Wain. A satirical, picturesque extravaganza of England's business and artistic worlds.

The World of Evelyn Waugh, edited by Charles J. Rolo. An anthology of the English master's comic, satiric prose.

General

A. E. Housman, by Maude M. Hawkins. Some new insights into the mind and character of the English poet and scholar.

Exploring With Fremont, edited by Erwin G. and Elisabeth K. Guille. Diaries of Charles Preuss, Fremont's cartographer.

First Lady of the South, by Isobel Ross. An objective, full-length portrait of Varina Howell, wife of Jefferson Davis.

Land Without Justice, by Milovan Djilas. A Yugoslavian ex-Communist's story of his Montenegrin boyhood.

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Was Hoover's Book A Little Late?

To The Editor:

Thank you for publishing "Masters of Deceit." J. Edgar Hoover has been following Communist deceit since 1919. Many books and articles exposing Communism were published 30 to 40 years ago.

Had these been placed on the required reading list of Roosevelt and Truman and those gathered about them could any deals have been made with Stalin? Would Eisenhower have been ordered to wait outside Berlin for 30 days in 1945?

Would our government leaders have allowed loyal Mihailovic of Yugoslavia to be sacrificed for Tito?

Would our military and atomic secrets have been allowed to be pilfered by Russian agents under the guise of beating Hitler?

Had these same books and articles been placed on the required reading list of northern universities, from where we customarily draw our governmental leaders, would there exist today the complacent pseudo-liberal attitude toward Communism? Could there be today anti-anti-Communists, most of whom emanate from these universities?

The only consolation is that a few 'silenced' American patriots can say to the citizenry—"I told you so."

THOMAS J. KELLY.

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 2. The Winthrop Woman
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 3. The Ice Palace
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 4. A Summer Place
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 5. Greengage Summer
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WEEKLY BOOK SURVEY

The Sunday Star has arranged with some of the leading book sellers of Washington and suburban areas to report each week the books which sell best as a guide to what Washington is reading. The numbers represent the rank of each book among best sellers at the store named.

Report for week ending May 16, 1958

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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
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| "Anatomy of a Murder," Traver | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "A Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "The Winthrop Woman," Seton | 5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "Ice Palace," Ferber | 3 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "The Mackeral Plaza," De Vries | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "Exile and the Kingdom," Comus | 1 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
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| "Masters of Deceit," Hoover | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| "Inside Russia, Today," Günther | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
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What America Reads

May 18
This Week's Score

The Herald Tribune arranges with the country's leading booksellers to report each week the best-selling six titles in fiction and non-fiction to give an over-all picture of what is being read in America. Only titles reported three or more times are charted. This week's chart is based on reports received by May 12.

| FICTION | | | Number of Stores | Total Weeks Listed |
|---------|--|----|------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | Anatomy of a Murder, by Robert Traver | 43 | 18 | |
| 2 | Ice Palace, by Edna Ferber | 37 | 8 | |
| 3 | The Winthrop Woman, by Anya Seton | 34 | 12 | |
| 4 | A Summer Place, by Sloan Wilson | 26 | 5 | |
| 5 | The Greengage Summer, by Rumer Godden | 18 | 6 | |
| 6 | North From Rome, by Helen MacInnes | 16 | 13 | |
| 7 | The Sergeant, by Dennis Murphy | 10 | 7 | |
| 8 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | 9 | 39 | |
| 9 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeeters, by R. L. Taylor | 9 | 7 | |
| 10 | By Love Possessed, by James Gould Cozzens | 8 | 37 | |
| 11 | The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | 8 | 18 | |
| 12 | Maggie-Now, by Betty Smith | 6 | 12 | |
| 13 | The Mackerel Plaza, by Peter De Vries | 5 | 8 | |
| 14 | Man of Montmartre, by S. & E. Longstreet | 4 | 9 | |
| 15 | Exile and the Kingdom, by Albert Camus | 4 | 6 | |
| 16 | The Roots of Heaven, by Romain Gary | 3 | 13 | |
| 17 | Ride the Red Earth, by Paul L. Wellman | 3 | 11 | |
| 18 | The Ten Thousand Things, by Maria Dermont | 3 | 7 | |
| 19 | The Mountain Road, by Theodore H. White | 3 | 1 | |
| 20 | Sylvester, by Georgette Heyer | 3 | 1 | |

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| 1 | Inside Russia Today, by John Gunther | 42 | 5 |
| 2 | Masters of Deceit, by J. Edgar Hoover | 41 | 10 |
| 3 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies, by Jean Kerr | 37 | 24 |
| 4 | Kids Say the Darndest Things, by Art Linkletter | 35 | 27 |
| 5 | Madison Avenue, U.S.A., by Martin Mayer | 12 | 9 |
| 6 | The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson, by Herbert Hoover | 11 | 2 |
| 7 | Dear Abby, by Abigail Van Buren | 10 | 2 |

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| 8 | Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 9 29 |
| 9 | The Great Democracies, by Winston S. Churchill | 9 9 |
| 10 | The Day Christ Died, by Jim Bishop | 8 37 |
| 11 | Peter Freuchen's Book of the Seven Seas | 8 24 |
| 12 | Where Did You Go? Out, by Robert Paul Smith | 6 43 |
| 13 | The Hidden Persuaders, by Vance Packard | 5 52 |
| 14 | Baruch: My Own Story, by Bernard M. Baruch | 5 38 |
| 15 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso, by D. D. Duncan | 5 6 |
| 16 | Life Plus 99 Years, by Nathan F. Leopold, Jr. | 3 7 |
| 17 | Live At Peace With Your Nerves, by W. C. Alvarez | 3 5 |

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| FICTION: | <i>Anatomy of a Murder</i> , by Robert Traver. |
| | <i>The Winthrop Woman</i> , by Anya Seton |
| | <i>Ice Palace</i> , by Edna Ferber |
| | <i>North From Rome</i> , by Helen MacInnes |
| | <i>The Sergeant</i> , by Dennis Murphy |
| | <i>A Summer Place</i> , by Sloan Wilson |
| | <i>By Love Possessed</i> , by James Cozzens |
| NON-FICTION: | <i>Masters of Deceit</i> , by J. Edgar Hoover |
| | <i>Please Don't Eat the Daisies</i> , by Jean Kerr |
| | <i>Inside Russia Today</i> , by John Gunther |
| | <i>Kids Say the Darndest Things</i> , by Art Linkletter |
| | <i>Madison Avenue, USA</i> , by Martin Mayer |
| | <i>The Great Democracies</i> , by Winston Churchill |
| | <i>Baruch: My Own Story</i> , by Bernard M. Baruch |

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We are pleased as punch with the Hoovers. The elder Mr. Hoover has just taught his gall-bladder a thing or two, and is back at the Waldorf Towers, getting ready to write his next ten books, go to the Brussels Fair to represent the United States, head another dozen or so civic and philanthropic organizations; while the younger Mr. Hoover has attained for his fine book, *Masters of Deceit*, the world's most

honored spot—No. 1 on the non-fiction (yes, Mr. Oakes, non-fiction) best-seller list. The two Hoovers are not related, but they have made the name of their fathers an honorable one.

Best Seller List

An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 36 cities showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart.

| April 20 | April 27 | May 4 | This Week | Weeks on List |
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| Fiction | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Anatomy of a Murder. <i>Traver</i> 16 |
| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | The Winthrop Woman. <i>Seton</i> 10 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | Ice Palace. <i>Ferber</i> 7 |
| 11 | 9 | 2 | 1 | A Summer Place. <i>Wilson</i> 3 |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | North From Rome. <i>MacInnes</i> 10 |
| 9 | 7 | 8 | 6 | The Sergeant. <i>Murphy</i> 6 |
| 10 | 10 | 6 | 7 | The Greengage Summer. <i>Gödden</i> 5 |
| 5 | 6 | 5 | 3 | By Love Possessed. <i>Cozzens</i> 36 |
| 7 | 5 | 10 | 9 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys! <i>Shulman</i> 37 |
| 12 | 14 | 13 | 10 | The Mackerel Plaza. <i>De Vries</i> 4 |
| 8 | 9 | 11 | 11 | Maggie-Now. <i>Smith</i> 11 |
| 6 | 8 | 7 | 12 | The White Witch. <i>Goudge</i> 16 |
| 13 | 15 | 12 | 13 | Exile and the Kingdom. <i>Camus</i> 7 |
| 12 | 16 | 14 | 14 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters. <i>Taylor</i> 3 |
| 11 | | 15 | | Time and the Hour. <i>Spring</i> 7 |
| 13 | 14 | 16 | 16 | Ride the Red Earth. <i>Wellman</i> 6 |
| General | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | Masters of Deceit. <i>Hoover</i> 7 |
| 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies. <i>Kerr</i> 22 |
| 6 | 3 | 3 | | Inside Russia Today. <i>Gunther</i> 3 |
| 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | Kids Say the Darndest Things! <i>Linkletter</i> 25 |
| 4 | 7 | 7 | 5 | The Great Democracies. <i>Churchill</i> 8 |
| 6 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Madison Avenue, U. S. A. <i>Mayer</i> 7 |
| 5 | 5 | 6 | 7 | Baruch: My Own Story. 36 |
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| | | 11 | 13 | Owen Wister Out West. <i>Wister</i> 2 |
| 9 | 11 | 10 | 14 | Peter Freuchen's Book of the Seven Seas. <i>Freuchen and Loth</i> 21 |
| | | 15 | 15 | The Hidden Persuaders. <i>Packard</i> 48 |
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Other recent books which, in the opinion of the staff of this Review, are of particular literary, topical or scholarly interest.

Fiction

Afternoon of an Author, by F. Scott Fitzgerald. *A selection of uncollected stories and essays, edited by Arthur Mizener.*
Seasons of Jupiter, by Anand Lall. *A subtle tale of a young and aristocratic Indian's experimental search for identity.*
The Contenders, by John Wain. *A satirical, picaresque extravaganza of England's business and artistic worlds.*
The World of Evelyn Waugh, edited by Charles J. Rolo. *An anthology of the English master's comic, satiric prose.*

General

First Lady of the South, by Ishbel Ross. *An objective, full-length portrait of Varina Howell, wife of Jefferson Davis.*
Land Without Justice, by Milovan Djilas. *A Yugoslavian ex-Communist's story of his Montenegrin boyhood.*
The Churchills, by A. L. Rowse. *Second and final volume on a famous family, from the death of Marlborough to the present.*
The Ordeal of Woodrow Wilson, by Herbert Hoover. *The former President's memoir of Wilson in war and after.*

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WEEKLY BOOK SURVEY

The Sunday Star has arranged with some of the leading book sellers of Washington and suburban areas to report each week the books which sell best as a guide to what Washington is reading. The numbers represent the rank of each book among best sellers at the store named.

Report for week ending May 9, 1958

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| | AIRPORT BOOK SHOP | FRANZ BADER, INC. | BALLANTYNE & SONS | BRENTANO'S | THE HECHT CO. | S. KANN SONS CO. | FRANCIS SCOTT KEY BOOK SHOP | PAUL PEARLMAN | POCKER'S, INC. | PURSELL'S BOOK STORE | SAYLIE BOOK SHOP | WOODWARD & LOTHROP | WORLD AFFAIRS BOOK SHOP |
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| "The Winthrop Woman," Seton | 6 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | |
| "Anatomy of a Murder," Traver | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | |
| "Ice Palace," Ferber | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | | | | 1 | | |
| "A Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | | | | 1 | 4 | 3 |
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| "Wheel of Earth," Sandburg | | | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | | | | | 6 | 6 | |
| NONFICTION | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| "Inside Russia Today," Gunther | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | |
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| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | |
| "Russia, the Atom and the West," Kennan | 5 | 5 | | | | 5 | 4 | | | 6 | 6 | 6 | |
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| "Great Democracies," Churchill | | | | | 6 | 4 | 3 | 4 | | | | | |

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Masters Of Deceit'-Southern Style

Currently in serial form, Edgar G. Hoover's highly informative book on the workings of communism in the United States is being carried in one of our local dailies. The title of the book is 'Masters of Deceit.' In this book Mr. Hoover thoroughly discusses the tactics, the tricks, the methods and the schemes used by the U. S. commies to further their own ends. As this book is read there comes to mind the similarity between the 'Masters of Deceit' Mr. Hoover discusses, and the 'Masters of Deceit' which plague the Southland known as White supremacy hate groups; (Ku Klux Klan) the White Citizens Councils, Dixiecrats, or the State Righters all bent on denying the Negro and other minority groups the opportunity to live in freedom according to the great christian and democratic principles the United States espouses to the whole world.

It is of course, currently popular and profitable to write exposé's about the Communists in or outside the United States. Usually it makes a whole lot of people hysterical and fearful to the point of wanting to do away with many of our precious freedoms to thwart the American commies. Everybody seemingly wants to make a reputation of fighting, exposing and breaking the communists, but few are only interested in making a reputation of putting into practice the christian and democratic principles we boast to the world about.

The commies may have a few warmed over tricks and schemes, but they hardly compare to the 'Masters of Deceit' that operate in the south-

land under a varied assortment of banners all interested in the perpetuation of a Hitler-like-philosophy, 'white supremacy.' Our attention is being so attracted by "tub thumping" against the American commies that we cannot see ourselves as the outside world sees us, slipping away from the great moral leadership we were destined for because we (the business, political, labor and social leaders) will not take a firm stand against the white supremacy detractors as we will against the commies.

For instance, have you heard or read about leading Southern citizens deplored or denouncing the violent bombings of Jewish Synagogues, Negro churches and schools in the South? No, not even Edgar G. Hoover of the powerful FBI, who knows so much about the works of the Communist but does not know how to catch and put a stop to the lunatic fringe white supremacy addicts who make a mockery of our democracy.

It appears that it is about time to turn a little attention to the 'Masters of Deceit' southern style, who are making us look pretty foolish as the moral leaders of the world. Negroes and other minority groups, have watched a certain breed of southern political demagogues and opportunists outdo the Communists as "Master of Deceit" for a long, long time.

Their main concern now, is getting the ballot and pooling their economic strength among themselves and with other minority groups, to end the fraud of the "Masters of Deceit," southern style perpetuated down through the years.

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Fiction

Bugle in the Wilderness, by John Burress. A sharply etched Civil War tale of family tragedy and divided loyalties.
The Game, by Michael Hastings. The pangs and ecstasies of English children involved in the game of growing up.
The Guide, by R. K. Narayan. The compassionate comedy of a reluctant holy man in the imaginary Indian city of Malgudi.
The World of Evelyn Waugh, edited by Charles J. Rolo. An anthology of the English master's comic, satiric prose.

General

First Lady of the South, by Ishbel Ross. An objective, full-length portrait of Varina Howell, wife of Jefferson Davis.
Private Elisha Stockwell, Jr. Sees the Civil War, edited by Byron R. Abernethy. A teen-age Union soldier's memoir.
Schools Without Scholars, by John Keats. What's right and what's wrong with the public schools—and what can be done.
The Lost World of the Caucasus, by Negley Farson. Nostalgic account of a 1929 journey into Russia's remote uplands.

What America Reads

May 4
This Week's Score

The Herald Tribune arranges with the country's leading booksellers to report each week the best selling six titles in fiction and non-fiction to give an over-all picture of what is being read in America. Only titles reported three or more times are charted. This week's chart is based on reports received by April 28.

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| 13 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso, by D. D. Duncan | 4 | 4 |
| 14 | Live At Peace With Your Nerves, by Dr. W. C. Alvarez | 4 | 3 |
| 15 | The Hidden Persuaders, by Vance Packard | 3 | 50 |
| 16 | The Day Christ Died, by Jim Bishop | 3 | 35 |
| 17 | Naked to Mine Enemies, by Charles W. Ferguson | 3 | 13 |
| 18 | The Education of a Poker Player, by H. O. Yardley | 3 | 4 |

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| What Washington Is Reading | |
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| 1. Anatomy of a Murder—Traver. 2. A Summer Place—Wilson. 3. The Winthrop Woman—Seton. 4. The Ice Palace—Ferber. 5. The Greengage Summer—Godden. 6. The Mackerel Plaza—deVries. | |
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| 1. Inside Russia Today—Günther. 2. Masters of Deceit—Hoover. 3. Please Don't Eat the Daisies—Kerr. 4. The Great Democracies—Churchill. 5. Madison Avenue, U. S. A.—Mayer. 6. Russia, the Atom and the West—Kennan. | |
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Political Parade:

A Toothpick Party Fades

BY SANFORD E. STANTON

J. EDGAR HOOVER, in his startling book, "Masters of Deceit," now appearing serially in the *Journal-American* and other Hearst newspapers, is writing of the Communist Party.

It is certain the head of the F. B. I. had no intention of invading politics. None-the-less Democratic and Republican party leaders in every state, but most particularly New York, should find much food for thought in what Mr. Hoover has to say.

The hard core of the Communist Party, according to Mr. Hoover, numbers only a few thousand at the most. Its effectiveness, he points out, lies almost wholly in underground strength.

On another front it is politically true in New York. A small hard core of professional "liberals" parade under the title of the Liberal Party.

To call this group a "splinter party" is hardly descriptive. Better call it a "toothpick party"—and a thin one at that.

Figures just released from the office of the N. Y. Secretary of State reveal that the enrolled membership in the Democratic Party is 2,663,511 and in the Republican Party, 2,603,943.

To complete the tabulation, enrollment in the self-named Liberal Party for the entire State reached the microscopic total of 70,569.

This, then, is the "hard core." Where is the vaunted strength of these "liberals"? Certainly not out in the open for everyone to see. It must be carefully concealed underground or otherwise effectively hidden.

Interest to DeSapio

The figures from the Secretary of State's office should be of particular interest to Carmine DeSapio, National Committeeman, leader of Tammany Hall, president of the National Democratic Club and the recognized leader of the Democratic Party in the State. For Mr. DeSapio is the Secretary of State.

Only thing that comes close to matching the effrontery of these New York "liberals" in demanding a voice in the affairs of the Democratic Party is the claim to recognition by an outfit calling itself Americans for Democratic Action.

By playing a shrewd game, of which hocus pocus is the principal rule, these "liberals" have scored amazing victories for themselves personally. Avidly-sought patronage has fallen into their hands year after year.

Demands for power to name Democratic Party candidates, have been accompanied by threats of reprisal at the polls. On rare occasions they have backed their bluff by supporting their own nominees with bundles of boodle. The objective? Defeat the regular Democratic candidate.

Naturally they never have succeeded.

Yes, even now these Masters of Make-Believe are scurrying in and out of City Hall, the Capitol at Albany and the headquarters of the Democratic Party playing their game of gimme—or else.

The back of the hand is too good for them. The toe of the boot would be better.

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**A Civics Primer:
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 Is Given**

MASTERS OF DECEIT: The Story of Communism in America and How to Fight It, by J. Edgar Hoover; Holt, ix, 376 p., \$5.

This is FBI-Chief J. Edgar Hoover's FBI-view of the Communist failure, so far, in the U. S. The account and warning is in the form of a civics primer. Like other meritorious textbooks, it is dull to the verge of unreadability and innocent of any sensationalism. Neither Hiss nor McCarthy appears. In fact there are very few names in the book besides those of Marx, Engels, Lenin, Stalin, and Khrushchev. Even the Norfolk, Va., clergyman who presided over an NAACP meeting is nameless. His, says Hoover, was "one of the most effective anti-Communist measures I have heard of." The Norfolk clergyman asked those present if they were Communists.

Most interesting feature of the book is the implicit and gilt-edged guarantee that under J. Edgar Hoover the FBI will never be an American Gestapo. "The FBI," he says, "is not interested in what a person thinks but what he does to undermine our national security." The sentiment and the ~~way~~ are characteristic.

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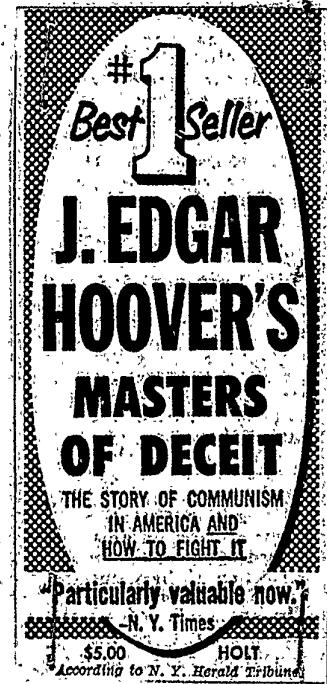
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| "The Winthrop Woman," Seton | 4 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 6 | | | 1 | 3 |
| "Ice Palace," Ferber | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | | 6 | | 1 | |
| "A Summer Place," Wilson | 2 | 3 | | 6 | | 2 | 4 | 2 | 6 | |
| "Greengage Summer," Godden | | | | 6 | | 1 | 3 | | | 4 |
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| "Please Don't Eat the Daisies," Kerr | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 3 | |
| "The Great Democracies," Churchill | | | 4 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 3 | | 1 | 6 |
| "Russia, the Atom and the West," Kennan | 4 | 2 | | | | 6 | | 4 | 5 | 4 |
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Best Seller List

An analysis based on reports from leading booksellers in 36 cities, showing the sales rating of 16 leading fiction and general titles over the last 3 weeks. Sales through the book clubs are not included. Figures in the right-hand column do not necessarily represent consecutive weeks and do not indicate week-to-week shifts on the chart.

| April 6 | April 13 | April 20 | This Week | Week on List |
|----------------|----------|----------|---|--------------|
| Fiction | | | | |
| 1 1 1 1 | | | Anatomy of a Murder. <i>Traver</i> | 14 |
| 2 2 2 2 | | | The Winthrop Woman. <i>Seton</i> | 8 |
| 12 8 3 3 | | | Ice Palace. <i>Ferber</i> | 5 |
| 5 4 4 4 | | | North From Rome. <i>MacInnes</i> | 8 |
| 4 5 7 5 | | | Rally Round the Flag, Boys! <i>Shulman</i> | 35 |
| 3 3 5 6 | | | By Love Possessed. <i>Cozzens</i> | 34 |
| 13 9 9 7 | | | The Sergeant. <i>Murphy</i> | 4 |
| 6 6 6 8 | | | The White Witch. <i>Goudge</i> | 14 |
| 7 7 8 9 | | | Maggie-Now. <i>Smith</i> | 9 |
| 12 10 10 10 | | | The Greengage Summer. <i>Godden</i> | 3 |
| | 11 | | A Summer Place. <i>Wilson</i> | 1 |
| | 12 | | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters. <i>Taylor</i> | 1 |
| 11 | 13 | | Ride the Red Earth. <i>Wellman</i> | 4 |
| 12 | 14 | | The Mackerel Plaza. <i>De Vries</i> | 2 |
| 16 13 13 15 | | | Exile and the Kingdom. <i>Camus</i> | 5 |
| 10 10 16 | | | The Roots of Heaven. <i>Gary</i> | 10 |
| General | | | | |
| 1 1 1 1 | | | Please Don't Eat the Daisies. <i>Kerr</i> | 20 |
| 3 2 2 2 | | | Masters of Deceit. <i>Hoover</i> | 5 |
| 2 3 3 3 | | | Kids Say the Darndest Things! <i>Linkletter</i> | 23 |
| 10 11 6 4 | | | Madison Avenue, U. S. A. <i>Mayer</i> | 5 |
| 4 4 5 5 | | | Baruch: My Own Story. <i>Baruch</i> | 34 |
| | 6 | | Inside Russia Today. <i>Gantner</i> | 1 |
| 6 5 4 7 | | | The Great Democracies. <i>Churchill</i> | 6 |
| 5 6 7 8 | | | "Where Did You Go?" "Out." "What Did You Do?" "Nothing." <i>Smith</i> | 37 |
| 7 7 8 9 | | | Life Plus 99 Years. <i>Leopold</i> | 6 |
| 10 10 | | | The Day Christ Died. <i>Bishop</i> | 30 |
| 8 8 9 11 | | | Peter Freuchen's Book of the Seven Seas. <i>Freuchen and Lotb</i> | 19 |
| 9 9 11 12 | | | Attorney for the Damned. <i>Weinberg</i> | 15 |
| 14 12 13 13 | | | Voltaire in Love. <i>Mitford</i> | 7 |
| 11 13 15 14 | | | To Live Again. <i>Marshall</i> | 25 |
| 16 | 16 15 | | The Private World of Pablo Picasso. <i>Duncan</i> | 3 |
| 13 10 14 16 | | | The New Class. <i>Djilas</i> | 33 |

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-And Bear in Mind

Other recent books which, in the opinion of the staff of this Review, are of particular literary, topical or scholarly interest.

Fiction

Bugle in the Wilderness, by John Burress. *A sharply etched Civil War tale of family tragedy and divided loyalties.*
The Game, by Michael Hastings. *The pangs and ecstasies of English children involved in the game of growing up.*
The Guide, by R. K. Narayan. *The compassionate comedy of a reluctant holy man in the imaginary Indian city of Malgudi.*
The World of Evelyn Waugh, edited by Charles J. Rolo. *An anthology of the English master's comic, satiric prose.*

General

Private Elisha Stockwell, Jr. Sees the Civil War, edited by Byron R. Abernethy. *A teen-age Union soldier's memoir.*
Schools Without Scholars, by John Keats. *What's right and what's wrong with the public schools—and what can be done.*
Scratches on Our Minds, by Harold R. Isaacs. *An analysis of American attitudes toward China and India.*
The Lost World of the Caucasus, by Negley Farson. *Nostalgic account of a 1929 journey into Russia's remote uplands.*

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What Washington Is Reading

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3. A Summer Place
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4. The Winthrop Woman
Seton.
5. The Greengage Summer
Goddard.
6. The Sergeant
Murphy.

NONFICTION

1. Inside Russia Today—Guthier.
2. Masters of Deceit—Hoover.
3. Please Don't Eat the Daisies—Kerr.
4. The Great Democracies—Churchill.
5. Madison Avenue, U. S. A.—Mayer.
6. Russia, the Atom and the West—Kennan.

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What America Reads

April 27
This Week's Score

The Herald Tribune arranges with the country's leading booksellers to report each week the best selling six titles in fiction and non-fiction to give an over-all picture of what is being read in America. Only titles reported three or more times are charted. This week's chart is based on reports received by April 21.

FICTION

| | | Number of Stores | Total Weeks Listed |
|----|--|------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | Anatomy of a Murder, by Robert Traver | 44 | 15 |
| 2 | The Winthrop Woman, by Anya Seton | 42 | 9 |
| 3 | Ice Palace, by Edna Ferber | 39 | 5 |
| 4 | North From Rome, by Helen MacInnes | 17 | 10 |
| 5 | A Summer Place, by Sloan Wilson | 15 | 2 |
| 6 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | 12 | 36 |
| 7 | The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | 12 | 15 |
| 8 | By Love Possessed, by James Gould Cozzens | 11 | 34 |
| 9 | Maggie-Now, by Betty Smith | 9 | 9 |
| 10 | The Greengage Summer, by Rumer Godden | 9 | 3 |
| 11 | Man of Montmartre, by S. & E. Longstreet | 7 | 6 |
| 12 | The Sergeant, by Dennis Murphy | 6 | 4 |
| 13 | The Travels of Jaimie McPheeers, by R. L. Taylor | 6 | 4 |
| 14 | The Ten Thousand Things, by Maria Dermot | 5 | 6 |
| 15 | The Mackerel Plaza, by Peter De Vries | 5 | 5 |
| 16 | They Came to Cordura, by Glendon Swarthout | 5 | 5 |
| 17 | Exile and the Kingdom, by Albert Camus | 5 | 4 |
| 18 | Time and the Hour, by Howard Spring | 4 | 10 |
| 19 | Ride the Red Earth, by Paul L. Wellman | 4 | 8 |
| 20 | The Roots of Heaven, by Romain Gary | 3 | 12 |
| 21 | Home From the Hill, by William Humphrey | 3 | 11 |

NON-FICTION

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| 1 | Masters of Deceit, by J. Edgar Hoover | 43 | 7 |
| 2 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies, by Jean Kerr | 42 | 21 |
| 3 | Kids Say the Darndest Things, by Art Linkletter | 31 | 24 |
| 4 | Inside Russia Today, by John Gunther | 24 | 2 |
| 5 | The Great Democracies, by Winston S. Churchill | 18 | 6 |
| 6 | Madison Avenue, U.S.A., by Martin Mayer | 14 | 6 |
| 7 | Where Did You Go? Out, by Robert Paul Smith | 12 | 40 |
| 8 | Baruch: My Own Story, by Bernard M. Baruch | 12 | 35 |

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| O | Peter Freuchen's Book of the Seven Seas | 11 | 21 |
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| 10 | To Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 10 | 26 |
| 11 | The New Class, by Milovan Djilas | 8 | 35 |
| 12 | The Hidden Persuaders, by Vance Packard | 5 | 49 |
| 13 | The Day Christ Died, by Jim Bishop | 5 | 34 |
| 14 | The Private World of Pablo Picasso, by D. D. Duncan | 4 | 3 |
| 15 | Parkinson's Law, by C. Northcote Parkinson | 3 | 21 |
| 16 | Attorney for the Damned: C. Darrow, ed. by Weinberg | 3 | 14 |
| 17 | Be My Guest, by Conrad Hilton | 3 | 11 |
| 18 | Life Plus 99 Years, by Nathan F. Leopold, Jr. | 3 | 6 |
| 19 | Live At Peace With Your Nerves, by Dr. W. C. Alvarez | 3 | 2 |

BOOKSELLERS REPORTING

Atlanta—Rich's. *Baltimore*—Hochschild, Kohn • Remington's. *Boston*—Lauriat's • Old Corner. *Cedar Rapids*—Morris Sanford. *Chicago*—Cokesbury. *Cleveland*—Burrows • Halle Bros. • Korner & Wood. *Dallas*—Cokesbury. *Dayton*—Rike-Kumler. *Denver*—Kendrick-Bellamy. *Detroit*—J. L. Hudson. *Evansville*—Smith & Butterfield. *Greensboro*—Wills Book & Stationery. *Hollywood*—Pickwick. *Indianapolis*—L. S. Ayres. *Larchmont*—Anderson's. *Los Angeles*—Campbell's. *Louisville*—Wilder-ness Road. *Miami*—Burdine's. *Minneapolis*—Powers. *Nashville*—Cokesbury • Stokes & Stockell. *New York*—Brentano's • Doubleday • Macy's • Scribner. *Omaha*—Matthews. *Pasadena*—Vroman's. *Phoenix*—Korrick's. *Pittsburgh*—Joseph Horne Co. *Portland, Ore.*—J. K. Gill. *Providence*—The Book Shop. *Rochester*—Scranton's. *Sacramento*—Levinson's. *St. Paul*—St. Paul Book & Stationery. *Salt Lake City*—Deseret. *San Francisco*—Paul Elder's • Emporium. *Santa Barbara*—Osborne's. *Seattle*—Hartman's Books • University. *Spokane*—John W. Graham. *Toledo*—Lamson's. *Washington, D. C.*—Woodward & Lothrop. *Washington*—Greenwood Book Shop. *Yakima*—Broad's.

MASTERS OF DECEIT

The Story of Communism in America

How a few fanatical Reds can influence thousands to sign petitions, donate money to a "defense fund" and otherwise aid a Communist cause is described by J. Edgar Hoover in this instalment of "Masters of Deceit."

By J. EDGAR HOOVER

Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

WE HAVE a long record of how the Communist Party has searched out incidents it could magnify and exploit for agitation: the eviction of a family, the arrest of a Negro, the proposal of a rise in city transit fares, an impending increase in taxes, the dismissal of a teacher, a shooting by law-enforcement officers.

Some of the cases upon which it has fastened have, unfortunately, reflected mistakes in the administration of justice or blemishes on the face of American society. The others were deliberately twisted by the party into "victims of capitalist terror," "lynch justice," "academic witch hunts," "Gestapo brutality," and such.

As indicated previously, the results obtained for the party rather than for the "victim" or the family of the "martyr" are what determine the extent to which the party will conduct its agitation.

Will the agitation help the party smear one of its opponents?

Will it help the Party gain recruits?

Will it bring money into the party's war chest, through a "defense fund" or some other device?

The answers to these questions guide the decision of the party leaders regarding the agitation.

Once the decision has been made, the probable first step is the formation of an XYZ Committee to Save John Doe: a communist front, born at 9 a. m., full grown by 10:30 a. m., mailing out letters by noon. This device gives the illusion of organized interest, focuses attention, and masks communist participation.

When starting a mass-agitation campaign the party knows that the success of the tactic depends on securing non-communist support. Members contact community leaders, such as judges, members of the city council, doctors, lawyers, clergymen, educators, social workers, for statements or testimonials.

He's No Longer A Shadowy Figure

In such cases, the Communist is no longer a shadowy figure deep underground or meeting secretly at night. He is knocking on doors, seeing prominent people, attending city council meetings.

"I feel that John Doe has been wrongly arrested (or convicted as the case may be.) I am compelled in the interests of justice to demand that he be released," is a typical testimonial sent to authorities and the press as a result of Communist activity.

The technique of obtaining testimonials is to start with a fellow traveler, one who will authorize his name for any Communist campaign. Some are so "controlled" that headquarters uses their names without consultation, even preparing their statements. Others are contacted on each occasion.

The specialists in agitation next reach out for prominent persons known to be sympathizers with some special cause. These may be officers of Communist "front" organizations. Their imposing official titles make them good signers for the party's purpose.

Finally, the specialist reaches down among unsuspecting non-Communists, the contacts being made either in person or on the telephone.

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The man ~~knows~~ another victim. Did he know the Communist identity of the solicitor? No. Did he know that the XYZ Committee to Save John Doe was a Communist front? No. Did he realize that by making the statement he was aiding the Communist movement? No!

For sincere, honest reasons of their own, entirely unrelated to communism, many individuals may support John Doe. To call them Communists is an injustice, but it is not unjust to point out that the party always seeks to exploit such personal convictions for partisan propaganda.

An Impressive List of Names

The letterhead of the "XYZ Committee to Save John Doe" will probably have an impressive list of names. In an instance cited in a previous chapter, the party's New York organ, "The Daily Worker," announced the formation of an "Emergency

Club Liberterian Committee" with 150 founders from 39 states, including 50 who were educators, clergymen and members of other influential professions — law, science, medicine, the theatre.

Communist strategy dictates that the cause of communism must be linked with as many elements in society as possible.

"Our fight for John Doe is your fight," the Communists say, to labor unions, Negro, professional, cultural, and nationality groups. "Today it's John Doe who is being persecuted. Tomorrow it'll be your turn. Join with us and we'll fight together," their scheming argument runs.

The party claims "We Communists join with every other democratic-minded American, irrespective of views, in the common fight to preserve a common democratic heritage."

Lenin instructed: seize allies everywhere. Use them for the advantage of furthering communism.

By securing even the temporary allegiance of an individual, as in a testimonial, the party gains. In this way Communist propaganda enters the orbit of that individual's personal influence. "Why," a friend will say after reading the testimonial, "if So-and-So endorses that organization (or issue), it must be OK."

The dupe becomes a Communist thought-control relay station. That's why Communists are always eager to secure the support of doctors, clergymen and other persons usually highly respected in their communities. The more widely known the person, the better for the Communists' exploitation of him.

Petitions Often Employed by Reds

Circulating petitions is another favorite Communist technique for capturing non-Communist support.

A young woman stands on the sidewalk. A housewife, carrying a package, comes out of the grocery store.

"Pardon me," the young woman says, approaching her. "Wouldn't you like to help a young man win his freedom?"

The appeal is attractive. The housewife stops. "We have a petition to the governor asking for the release of John Doe. He's sentenced to die . . ."

The housewife looks at the petition. It contains nothing Communist. There is no hammer or sickle or mention of Russia. It is just a statement that we the undersigned believe that John Doe should be released. "You can help a lot by signing . . . she is told. She signs. So do thousands of others.

Party teams with petitions operate everywhere, on street corners, at factory gates, in bus terminals.

Simultaneously a "woman's group" in Oregon, a "farmers' meeting" in Oklahoma, a "consumers' conference" in West Virginia pass resolutions: "Save John Doe!"

How they Exploit Court Cases

The pressure exerted by the party gets results in the form of thousands of letters, resolutions and telegrams, perhaps a hundred times the number of all party members in the United States.

The cases of Sacco and Vanzetti, the Scottsboro boys, the "Martinsville Seven" and the "Trenton Six," were cited previously as examples of Communist agitation. To the party's purposeful agitators, the conviction of the Rosenbergs for treason was simply another capitalistic crime.

Campaigns involving court cases as a general rule provide the most sustained agitation. These can be divided into various exploitation stages:

The arrest stage: the "victim" has been illegally arrested. The charges are "trumped up."

The trial stage: "false evidence" is being used, the jury is "packed," a fair trial is "impossible."

The appeal stage (assuming the defendant is found guilty): in most instances a guilty verdict serves the Communist purpose best. Otherwise, little propaganda opportunity is left, except for a few self-congratulatory articles. The Communists use every device, inside and outside the courtroom, to break down the American judicial system.

The clemency stage is often best suited to Communist agitation. The party has a whole series of tested tactics for such occasions. Here are a few:

Mass meetings. Rallies. Demonstrations. Picket lines. These, also used in other exploitation stages, now become imbued with "gravity."

"John Doe Will Die in 2 Weeks. Wire the Governor. Demand His Release." "Save My Boy, Please. He's Innocent." "Where's America's Conscience? This Man Has Been Framed."

Organized treks. Pilgrimages. Motorcades. Encampments. The convergence on a selected spot, the state capital or Washington, D. C., of members and sympathizers from all over the country.

They arrive in trucks, rented buses, by train. "Get your tickets, meet at the station, don't miss the Clemency train."

Telegrams Deluge Government Officials

An operational headquarters is set up in the target city, usually under a party Aesopian name such as "Liberty House" or "Inspiration Center."

Teams visit offices of legislators, officials of the government and demand to see the governor or President. To build up an impression that "millions" are demanding clemency, a cascade of telegrams, letters, petitions, resolutions pour in, promoted by comrades back home.

The hour of judicial decision or execution nears. The drama is heightened. "Prayer meetings" are held by Communists, who do not believe in prayer.

Then the super climax: a "vigil." The comrades start a marching line, 24 hours around the clock, demanding "mercy," "clemency." One day, two days, five days, 12 days, the line moves back and forth in front of the governor's mansion, or more dramatic, the White House.

Placards read: "Mercy for John Doe," "Mr. Governor, Don't You Have a Heart?" Any testimonials secured from prominent individuals bob and weave in the marching line. Leaflets are handed out.

Every two hours, by arrangement, a new shift appears. Paraders walk si-

dently, sometimes in single file, at other times two abreast, usually six to eight feet apart. This isn't supposed to be a flamboyant affair, but sad and mournful, designed to capture the emotions. Death is near! "Clemency NOW—Only 12 Hours Left" "Can America Allow an Innocent Man to Die?"

The shift is over. The members whisk back to "Liberty House," grab a bite to eat, hear a pep talk, then return for another "tour of duty." Cots are available for sleep.

Devices Attract Wide Attention

Following this technique, a few fanatical comrades can attract the attention of thousands. So long as John Doe is alive, he must be exploited.

At the imprisonment stage (assuming that every legal delaying tactic of party lawyers has failed), the defendant becomes a showpiece. He is visited by his wife (called a "prison wife") and his family, and delegations go to see him. Sentimental and heart-tearing accounts are written and fed into party or party-line organs.

Birthday-card campaigns are initiated. "Send John Doe a Christmas greeting." His letters from prison become quotable "scripture."

A nine-year-old son visits him... the child is shocked by the "watchtowers," "giant searchlights," "locked iron doors"... the visit is over... the little boy tells his mother, "After all, if Daddy didn't have such good political ideas he wouldn't be there in the first place." (He is a Smith Act "victim.")

The Communist press will invariably represent that the evidence was framed, or the State's key witness had committed perjury. Or the party will have a defense for the crime that will cause the person not familiar with the facts or the record of the trial to wonder. And the longer the lapse of time, the more real the trumped-up defense will sound to the uninformed.

This agitational process may be carried on for years. For example, "The Women's Committee for Equal Justice" not disbanded until seven years after Rosa Lee Ingram and her two sons had been convicted and sentenced in a Georgia court for the slaying of a neighbor.

There may be some attention given by the agitators in the post-imprisonment stage but most of the propaganda value of the case to the party is gone when this stage is reached. If the "victim" is dead, "mémorial" services may occasionally be held or articles written about his "heroism" or "martyrdom."

In espionage cases, the party agitation tactic may be designed to induce the arrested to think he is a "martyr" and hence that any cooperation with the American government, such as implicating others or giving vital information, would be a betrayal. Better to have him executed than to let him be alive to expose other Com-

murders, is a party tactic.

Obviously these campaigns are also designed to dramatize Communists and their fronts as "champions" of the masses. They foster the illusion that these individuals are progressive, enlightened, and humanitarian, acting in the best interests of free people.

That, of course, is an illusion. The real motive is to prepare both the party and non-Communist society for revolutionary action. Members gain experience in mass work: propaganda and agitation, organizing social discontent, guiding large numbers. Leadership, discipline, and organizational structure can be tested.

Moreover, Communists want to make workers and the masses class-conscious, accepting the party as their leader (in party terms called radicalizing the masses). Sow seeds of discontent, weaken, divide, and neutralize anti-Communist opposition; above

~~all undermine the American judicial process; that is the ticket.~~

Law enforcement has long been a target of Communist attack. As legal opposition crystallized, these party attacks, especially on the FBI, prosecutive officials and police, have mounted in intensity.

Lenin taught that it was essential for every "real people's revolution" to destroy the existing "state machinery." Wherever Communists have won any measure of control, their first step was to hamstring and incapacitate law enforcement.

The Communist performance in the Indian state of Kerala is a good illustration. Within a few months after a pro-Communist government came into control, "peoples' action committees" were formed which began to usurp the functions of the law courts. Then the state police were handcuffed by orders to stand on the sidelines except when crimes such as murder, rape, arson and assault occurred.

Many Communists were freed from jail, and public statements were issued that many penal institutions would be closed and their grounds turned into flower

gardens. A non-Communist official of the Indian government reported a "complete breakdown of law and order."

Experience over the years has demonstrated that every time Communists are able to avert justice through technicalities, there is not only jubilation in party circles but also increased uprisings for more brazen party action.

Day-to-day agitations and other activities of the party are battle-hardening dress rehearsals for revolution. William Z. Foster boasted, "... capitalism will die sword in hand, fighting in vain to beat back the oncoming revolutionary proletariat."

Often Communists find it effective to remain in the

background and carry out an agitation campaign through organizations not generally recognized as pro-Communist. These can be either old-time organizations which have been "infiltrated," or newly established communist fronts.

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Tomorrow: How Communists have infiltrated some of our most respected institutions.

RED MANEUVERS

An actual instance where a few Communists maneuvered the affairs of a non-Communist labor union is described by J. Edgar Hoover in tomorrow's instalment of "Masters of Deceit," appearing exclusively in the N. Y. Journal-American.

Subsequent chapters will describe:

- The birth of a Communist "front" organization.
- How the "front" operates to benefit the Reds.
- The strange absence of known Communists from its rolls.

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The book, "Masters of Deceit," by J. Edgar Hoover, FBI director, was presented to the Nashua Public library by Mrs. Anna Clemons, chairman of

the American Legion auxiliary's Americanism program and Mrs. Marie Estes, unit president.

The gift to the Library was made in conjunction with the auxiliary's Americanism program.

Masters of Deceit presents an exhaustive report of the Communist party in the

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Mr. Charles J. Kersten, former member of Congress from Wisconsin, will speak at a meeting of the Arlington Ladies' Book Review and Music Club Friday at 8 p.m. in the Parish Hall of St. Mark's Church, Twenty-fifth and North Glebe road, Arlington.

He will review FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover's recent book, "Masters of Deceit," subtitled "The Story of Communism in America and How to Fight It."

A panel of experts on communism will discuss the book. They will be Dr. Anthony Bouscaren, author of "America... Faces World Communism" and other books; Lt. Duane Thorin, former prisoner of war of the Red Chinese and author of "A Ride to Panmunjom"; Mr. Bryton Barron, lecturer and author of "Inside the State Department"; and Dr. Edna Fluegel, of Trinity College, author, lecturer, and world traveler.

Mr. Sam Jones, Washington correspondent for National Review, will be chairman.

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What Richmond Is Reading

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STUDENTS have requested books on various diseases, and there have been other calls for Greek plays and books on chess and gardening. "The Green Gage Summer" by Rumer Godden is the most popular of new fiction works, with "Masters of Deceit" by J. Edgar Hoover topping the nonfiction lists. New titles acquired include "Worshipping With Women of the Bible" by Florence Brill Hart; "Complete Handbook of Bowling" by Oscar Fraley; "Inside Russia Today" by John Gunther, and "How Life Insurance Can Serve You" by Morris A. Linton.

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Best Sellers

From the best seller lists of
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1. *Anatomy of a Murder*, by Robert Traver.
2. *The Winthrop Woman*, by Anya Seton.
3. *North From Rome*, by Helen MacInnes.
4. *By Love Possessed*, by James Gould Cozzens.
5. *Rally 'Round the Flag, Boys!* by Max Shulman.

NONFICTION

1. *Masters of Deceit*, by J. Edgar Hoover.
2. *Please Don't Eat the Daisies*, by Jean Kerr.
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- "The White Witch" Elizabeth Goudge

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- "Please Don't Eat the Daisies" Jean Kerr
- "Masters of Deceit" J. Edgar Hoover
- "Inside Russia Today" John Gunther
- "Kids Say the Darndest Things" Art Linkletter
- "The Great Democracies" Winston S. Churchill
- "Life Plus 99 Years" Nathan Leopold Jr.
- "The New Class" Milovan Djilas
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| WEEKLY BOOK SURVEY | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Sunday Star has arranged with some of the leading book sellers of Washington and suburban areas to report each week the books which sell best as a guide to what Washington is reading. The numbers represent the rank of each book among best sellers at the store named. | | | | | | | | | | |
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| "Inside Russia Today," Gunther | 6 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
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| Kids Say the Darndest Things!..... | Art Linkletter |
| Where Did You Go? Out!..... | Robert Paul Smith |
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Dream of the Red Chamber, by Tsao Hsueh-chin, continued by Kao Oü. An 18th-century Chinese tale of love and manners.
The Guide, by R. K. Narayan. The compassionate comedy of a reluctant holy man in the imaginary Indian city of Malgudi.
The Voyage Home, by Ernst Schnabel. A searching, imaginative novel about the adventures of Odysseus.

General

Al Smith and His America, by Oscar Handlin. The Happy Warrior from sidewalk childhood to the bitterness of defeat.
D. H. Lawrence: A Composite Biography, edited by Edward Neblett. The years 1919-25, in the second of three volumes.
Owen Wister Out West, edited by Fanny Kemble Wister. The author of "The Virginian," his journals and letters, 1885-95.
Schools Without Scholars, by John Keats. What's right and what's wrong with the public schools—and what can be done.

What America Reads

| April 20 This Week's Score | 10 | The Herald Tribune arranges with the country's leading booksellers to report each week the best selling six titles in fiction and non-fiction to give an over-all picture of what is being read in America. Only titles reported three or more times are charted. This week's chart is based on reports received by April 14. | |
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| 4 | The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | 14 | 14 |
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| 6 | By Love Possessed, by James Gould Cozzens | 13 | 33 |
| 7 | Maggie-Now, by Betty Smith | 11 | 8 |
| 8 | Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | 8 | 35 |
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BY G-MAN HOOVER**

Douglas Starr, of the Associated Press Jackson Bureau, is proudly displaying a thank-you note this week, in regard to his recent review of "Masters of Deceit." It reads:

"I noted with a great deal of satisfaction your very fine review of 'Masters of Deceit' which appeared in the March 30, 1958 issue. It is certainly reassuring to know that we have your support and I want you to know that I am very grateful."

The signature is J. Edgar Hoover's.

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Wake Up, Americans!

By Otto Gar~~o~~ Tague

Lots of Americans—including members of the Supreme Court—seem to cling to the conviction that Communism is some silly political philosophy that, like dandruff and hangnails, is somewhat of a nuisance, but not catching. Therefore, not worth the effort to exterminate it... But it is contagious... And when epidemic, is deadly.

Suppose that you were to wake up tomorrow morning to find that "if you owned productive property you would be arrested as an 'exploiter,' hauled before a revolutionary court and sentenced to a concentration camp" and that "this confiscation would include your home, business, bank deposits and related personal possessions."

That "all industry would be nationalized and farms taken away from their owners... A small businessman is just as guilty as a large businessman; both must be liquidated. Rents, profits and insurance would be abolished. Countless occupations would be ended. Here is a partial list: Wholesalers, jobbers, real estate men and stockbrokers, advertising specialists, travelling salesmen, lawyers, police, clericals and sundry."

"Action would be drastic, immediate and without appeal. An armed 'Red Guard' would enforce the orders of party henchmen... Labor unions, as we know them, would be obliterated... and no laborer would be permitted to strike... If you expressed an opinion contrary to the party line... your 'disappearance' would serve as a lesson for others... Churches would probably not be closed immediately, but they would be heavily taxed, their property seized... and religious schools liquidated. Clergymen would be required to accept the party line. 'God does not exist. Why worship Him?' say the Communists."

These quoted words are not the imaginings of a Don Quixote thrusting at windmills... Instead, they are the words of J. Edgar Hoover, America's leading authority on Communism and its portent to our people... Quoted for the purpose of whetting your appetite for reading his latest book, "Masters Of Deceit" ... Reading it, as it appears in The Enquirer, you'll be a better fighter for the preservation of American principles!

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WASHINGTON (ALNS)---Any disarmament agreement entered into by the United States must permit us adequate arms and instruments to maintain our own security and that of the free world, The American Legion's National Foreign Relations Commission recommended at its meeting in Washington, Apr. 9-11.

The strongly worded recommendation, which will be reported to the National Executive Committee of The American Legion at its meeting Apr. 30-May 2, pointed out Russia's "unbroken record of broken promises" and urged that any agreement which might be planned "be entered into with no thought of aggression but with full regard for the needs of national self-preservation and security."

Other recommendations of the Foreign Relations Commission to be presented to the NEC include: continued unalterable opposition to U.N. admission of Red China; withholding aid from nations which trade strategic materials with Russia, China and their satellites; furtherance of economic and cultural ties with Latin America.

MILWAUKEE (ALNS)---J. Edgar Hoover's best selling book Masters of Deceit, telling the story of Communist aims and methods in the U. S., is being published in daily and Sunday installments by the Milwaukee Sentinel, beginning Apr. 13.

INDIANAPOLIS (ALNS)---Two long-time American Legion service officers are scheduled to retire this summer after a life-time of helping veterans. They are James F. Burns, first and only Wisconsin Department service officer, and Lester R. Benston, director of rehabilitation in the Illinois Department for more than 36 years. Benston is slated to retire on June 1 and Burns on Aug. 1.

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Truth Is Out

The report published in a Danish newspaper, that a "catastrophic explosion" rather than any altruistic motive brought the Russian nuclear testing to an abrupt end, lacks complete authentication.

But it came through diplomatic channels from Moscow and it has more than a little supporting evidence. The abnormal fall-out that has been detected throughout the world, for instance, attests that something very much out of the ordinary occurred and quite possibly it was something entirely out of control as the Danish report suggests.

In any event, the incident serves the far more important purpose of underlining the real significance of the Russian decision to stop the tests.

They themselves called it a move in the interest of world peace. They posed righteously as the leaders of a new world movement for the renunciation of nuclear war specifically and of all war eventually. In short, they very nearly broke their arms patting their own backs.

But the skeptical free world knew there were other reasons. The Danish version that the nuclear weapons blew up in the faces of the communists would be a believable reason. With something on their hands too hot to handle, the communists pretend noble purpose in discarding it.

But they have not fooled very many people in the world at large and it is to be wondered how many people they have really fooled at home.

The communists are truly "masters of deceit" as FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover so aptly describes and defines them in his invaluable book recently published under that title. In this case they have covered their mistakes with the appearance of honest purposes. In all cases, they resort to tricks and deception, not only as a matter of convenience and necessity but as a matter of choice and character.

Whatever the ultimate and full explanation of Russia's unilateral decision to stop nuclear experimentation may be, it will not be something calculated to improve the communist moral standing in the world.

The urgent compulsion of some grave necessity, not the proclaimed virtue of peaceful aspiration, drove the Kremlin to an emergency decision. The pose of good intentions was easily recognizable as a phony when it was first taken and the few who were deceived by it are fewer still in the world today.

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In Letters to The Bulletin Readers Say

Hoover Book Called Shoddy, Unscholarly

As a regular reader of The Sunday and Evening Bulletin, I must strongly criticize the low ebb to which the "News and Views" section fell in the April 13 edition. This section states that it covers "Editorials, Washington Front, Foreign Affairs, Inside City Hall, and Travel and Resorts." Why, then, must it resort to devoting the first two pages to a condensation of a third-rate, shoddy, unscholarly, and sensational book about Communism?

This subject has been amply and carefully documented by a host of highly qualified scholars over the past ten years, including an excellent history of the Communist Party in the U. S. A. which was published within the last year. Hoover's recent book on the same subject contributes nothing, to my knowledge, that has not already exhaustively been placed in the laps of the American people. Furthermore, it tends to engorge in that same realm of half-truths and innuendo for which the Communists are so noted.

In this era of the International Geophysical Year, the cultural exchange missions, and the Brussels' Fair, there seems little excuse for giving bold publicity to Hoover's McCarthy Age "spy" concoction. I hope that in the future The Bulletin can give the citizens of Philadelphia "News and Views" of far greater significance and world importance.

DAVID POPEOE

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There has been a disturbing trend in American opinion of late. It is the growing disposition of many of us who are weary of tension to regard the problem of co-existence lightly and to accept with at least a moderate discount the seductive murmurs of the sleek Khrushchev. We haven't got to the point of embracing him. And certainly we know he needs no pity. But some of us are prone to endure and perhaps believe him. Hoover convinces any reasonable reader of his book that our vigil should never be relaxed.

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When the Roosevelt administration took office in the spring of 1933, a tremendous drive began to displace Hoover and to put some "deserving" Democrat in the job. The White House was assailed by all sorts of accusations against the FBI chief, mostly because he was a stern disciplinarian. A number of "hack" police chiefs over the country and the political bosses who controlled them were on the prowl for the Hoover job. Fortunately, Roosevelt was prevailed upon to hold off a while. Meanwhile, Homer Cummings became attorney general and before long was one of Hoover's strongest supporters.

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A clipping of an article that appeared in to-day's issue of The Paterson Evening News is attached. Because of your interest in the subject you may wish to have the item called to your attention.

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Our Enemy Abroad and at Home
Revealed by FBI Chief

By RAYMOND MOLEY

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Commie Deceit Exposed Numbers Top Prewar Russia

Regardless of figures purporting to show that the membership and influence of the Communist Party, U. S. A., is in decline, and the impression that Communists themselves are endeavoring to create by devious means, the danger to the U. S. from master Red plotters, of hidden infiltrators or invaders, is as great as ever.

So declares the man in the best position to know, J. Edgar Hoover, the director of the FBI since 1924.

In opening chapters of his best-seller new book, "Masters of Deceit," Hoover traces the origins of the Communist worldwide conspiracy, and tells of his early observations of the Communist Party, U. S. A., beginning in 1919, when as special assistant to the attorney general of U. S. he was assigned to prepare a legal brief on the new formed Communist Party and Communist Labor Party.

In Sunday's installment of this first serialization of portions of the book bringing the story up to today, the FBI chief detailed the blueprint drawn up by Communists for the conquest of the U. S. from within.

He reminded readers of the boast made to Americans in June 1957 by the Soviet Communist boss, Nikita Khrushchev, "I can prophecy that your grandchildren in America will live under socialism."

Hoover pointed out that the membership of the Communist Party, U. S. A., has been stronger in numbers than the Bolshevik Party was at the time it seized power in Russia.

William Z. Foster, long-time head of the Communist movement in the U. S., has boasted that the Communist revolution, after the actual seizure of power, would "develop even more swiftly" than the Russian.

Hoover continues today a revealing, startling description of how Communists are working through persons placed secretly in high places, and aided by fellow travelers, to try to make Foster's words come true.

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WEEKLY BOOK SURVEY
 The Sunday Star has arranged with some of the leading book sellers of Washington and suburban areas to report each week the books which sell best as a guide to what Washington is reading. The numbers represent the rank of each book among best sellers at the store named.

Report for week ending April 11

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Fiction

Dream of the Red Chamber, by *Tsao Hsueh-chin*, continued by *Kao On*. An 18th-century Chinese tale of love and manners.
The Conscience of the Rich, by *C. P. Snow*. A wise and tender portrait of a wealthy London Jewish family in the Thirties.
The Guide, by *R. K. Narayan*. The compassionate comedy of a reluctant holy man in the imaginary Indian city of Malgudi.
The Voyage Home, by *Ernst Schnabel*. A searching, imaginative novel about the adventures of Odysseus.

General

Al Smith and His America, by *Oscar Handlin*. The Happy Warrior from sidewalk childhood to the bitterness of defeat.
D. H. Lawrence: A Composite Biography, edited by *Edward Neels*. The years 1919-25, in the second of three volumes.
Our Nuclear Future, by *Edward Teller* and *Albert L. Latter*. A strong and reasoned plea for continued bomb tests.
Owen Wister Out West, edited by *Fanny Kemble Wister*. The author of "The Virginian," his journals and letters, 1883-95.

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Books

Best Sellers

Top selling books around the country last week, according to Publishers Weekly and other sources were:

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| Anatomy of a Murder | Robert Traver |
| The Winthrop Woman | Anya Seton |
| By Love Possessed | James Gould Cozzens |
| The White Witch | Elizabeth Goudge |
| Rally Round the Flag, Boys | Max Shulman |
| North from Rome | Helen MacInnes |
| Some Came Running | James Jones |

NON-FICTION

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| Masters of Deceit | J. Edgar Hoover |
| Please Don't Eat the Daisies | Jean Kerr |
| Kids Say the Darndest Things | Art Linkletter |
| Baruch: My Own Story | By Bernard Baruch |
| Where Did You Go? Out! | Robert Paul Smith |
| To Live Again | Catherine Marshall |
| Naked to Mine Enemies | Charles W. Ferguson |

Many Authors Expand Details on Red Plots

A list of books recommended to those who want other details of the continuing conspiracy revealed by J. Edgar Hoover in "Masters of Deceit." They should be in your public library:

NO WONDER WE ARE LOSING, Robert Morris (The Bookmakers).

WITNESS, Whittaker

Chambers (Random House).

SPIES, DUPES AND DIP-

LOMATS, Ralph de Tol-

edo (Duell, Sloan &

Pearce).

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THE WORLD, E. H. Cook-

ridge, (Henry Holt & Co.)

IMPERIAL COMMUNISM, Anthony Bouscaren, (Pub-
lic Affairs Press).

M.C.A.R.T.H.Y AND HIS
ENEMIES, Wm. F. Buckley
& L. Brent Bozell (Henry
Regnery Co.).

THE RED PLOT AGAINST
AMERICA, Robert E. Stripling, with Bob Considine
(Bell).

OUT OF BONDAGE, Eliza-
beth Bentley (Devlin-Adair
Co.).

BLUE PRINT FOR
WORLD CONQUEST, Wil-
liam H. Chamberlin (Henry
Regnery Co.).

THE CRY IS PEACE,
Louis Budenz (Henry Reg-
nery Co.).

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WEB OF SUBVERSION,
James Burnham (John Day
Co.).

SCHOOL OF DARKNESS,
Bella Dodd (Kennedy &
Sons).

I LED THREE LIVES,
Herbert Philbrick (Grosset
& Dunlap).

COLLECTIVISM ON THE
CAMPUS, E. Merrill Root,
(Devlin-Adair Co.).

COLLECTIVISM IN THE
CHURCHES, Edgar C.
Bundy (Church League of
America, Wheaton, Ill.).

SUIT WITH A RED LIN-
ING, Sydney Greenlee (Tru-
diversity Press).

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What America Reads

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| 2 The Winthrop Woman, by Anya Seton | 38 | 7 |
| 3 By Love Possessed, by James Gould Cozzens | 22 | 32 |
| 4 Ice Palace, by Edna Ferber | 20 | 3 |
| 5 North From Rome, by Helen MacInnes | 18 | 8 |
| 6 Rally Round the Flag, Boys!, by Max Shulman | 16 | 34 |
| 7 The White Witch, by Elizabeth Goudge | 16 | 13 |
| 8 Maggie-Now, by Betty Smith | 14 | 7 |
| 9 Home From the Hill, by William Humphrey | 10 | 9 |
| 10 Ride the Red Earth, by Paul I. Wellman | 10 | 6 |
| 11 Time and the Hour, by Howard Spring | 7 | 8 |
| 12 Some Came Running, by James Jones | 6 | 13 |
| 13 The Roots of Heaven, by Romain Gary | 6 | 10 |
| 14 Below the Salt, by Thomas B. Costain | 5 | 28 |
| 15 Man of Montmartre, by S. & E. Longstreet | 5 | 4 |
| 16 The Ten Thousand Things, by Maria Dermont | 5 | 4 |
| 17 They Came to Cordura, by Clendon Swarthout | 5 | 3 |
| 18 The Greengage Summer, by Rumer Godden | 5 | 1 |
| 19 Exile and The Kingdom, by Albert Camus | 4 | 3 |
| 20 The Mackerel Plaza, by Peter De Vries | 4 | 3 |
| 21 The Sergeant, by Dennis Murphy | 4 | 2 |
| 22 Peyton Place, by Grace Metalious | 3 | 80 |
| 23 The Travels of Jaimie McPheeters, by R. L. Taylor | 3 | 2 |

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| 1 | Please Don't Eat the Daisies, by Jean Kerr | 42 | 19 |
| 2 | Masters of Deceit, by J. Edgar Hoover | 39 | 5 |
| 3 | Kids Say the Darndest Things, by Art Linkletter | 32 | 22 |
| 4 | The Great Democracies, by Winston S. Churchill | 16 | 4 |
| 5 | Baruch: My Own Story, by Bernard M. Baruch | 14 | 33 |
| 6 | Where Did You Go? Out, by Robert Paul Smith | 13 | 38 |
| 7 | Madison Avenue, U.S.A., by Martin Mayor | 13 | 4 |
| 8 | To Live Again, by Catherine Marshall | 12 | 24 |
| 9 | Peter Freuchen's Book of the Seven Seas | 12 | 19 |
| 10 | The New Class, by Milovan Djilas | 10 | 33 |
| 11 | The Hidden Persuaders, by Vance Packard | 7 | 47 |
| 12 | Attorney for the Damned: C. Darrow, ed. by Weinberg | 7 | 12 |
| 13 | The Day Christ Died, by Jim Bishop | 6 | 32 |
| 14 | Life Plus 99 Years, by Nathan F. Leopold, Jr. | 6 | 4 |
| 15 | Naked to Mine Enemies, by Charles W. Ferguson | 4 | 11 |
| 16 | Voltaire in Love, by Nancy Mitford | 4 | 6 |
| 17 | Live at Peace With Your Nerves, by Dr. W. C. Alvarez | 4 | 1 |
| 18 | Parkinson's Law, by C. Northeote Parkinson | 3 | 20 |
| 19 | Be My Guest, by Conrad Hilton | 3 | 9 |
| 20 | The Titans, by André Maurois | 3 | 7 |
| 21 | The Education of a Poker Player, by H. O. Yardley | 3 | 3 |

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Albuquerque—New Mexico. Atlanta—Davidson-Paxon • Rich's. Baltimore—Hochschild, Kohn & Co. • Remington's. Boston—Lauriat's • Old Corner. Cedar Rapids—Morris Sanford. Chicago—Cokesbury. Cleveland—Burrows • Korn & Wood. Dallas—Cokesbury. Dayton—Rike-Kumler. Denver—Kendrick-Bellamy. Detroit—J. L. Hudson. Evansville—Smith & Butterfield. Greensboro—Wills Book & Stationery. Hollywood—Pickwick. Indianapolis—L. S. Ayres. Larchmont—Anderson's. Los Angeles—Campbell's. Louisville—Wilderness Road. Miami—Burdine's. Minneapolis—Powers. Nashville—Stokes & Stockell. New York—Brentano's • Macy's • Scribner. Omaha—Matthews. Pasadena—Vroman's. Phoenix—Korrick's. Pittsburgh—Joseph Horne Co. Portland, Ore.—J. K. Gill. Providence—The Book Shop. Rochester—Scranton's. Sacramento—Levinson's. St. Paul—St. Paul Book & Stationery. Salt Lake City—Deseret. San Antonio—Joake's of Texas. San Francisco—Paul Elder's • Emporium. Santa Barbara—Osborne's. Seattle—Frederick & Nelson • Hartman's Books • University. Spokane—John W. Graham. Toledo—Lamson's. Washington, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop. Wilmington—Greenwood Book Shop. Yakima—Brown's.

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BOOK REVIEWS AND LITERARY NOTES

Hoover Strips Mask From Red Deceivers

By L. D. PARLIN
MASTERS OF DECEIT by J.

Edgar Hoover, Henry Holt.

A feeling of J. Edgar Hoover's sincerity and dedication of purpose comes through to the reader with remarkable force in his book on communism and Communists.

Masters of Deceit is an invaluable and absorbing analysis of the rise of Marxist ideology and its operations in the United States. Without a doubt it also is Mr. Hoover's deeply personal bequest to the American people of those intellectual and moral convictions about the Communist movement which he has developed during 40 years of first-hand study.

Hoover was only 22 years old when he entered the service of the Department of Justice in 1917. He began studying the American Communist party movement the year of its beginning in 1919. Since 1924 he has been director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He knows Communist techniques down to the last detail.

Masters of Deceit provides a complete study text of how the Communists operate, both in the open and underground. It is filled with detailed case histories.

There are two weaknesses in the book, both arising from things unsaid or insufficiently emphasized. Mr. Hoover skirts too lightly around the widespread attacks on American civil liberties which have been carried out in the name of anticommunism. And in concentrating on his own particular field of investigative activity, he neglects the broader aspects of strengthening the free world by international cooperation in military, economic and cultural fields.

Read the serialized version of J. Edgar Hoover's report to the people starting Sunday in the Pioneer Press.

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Civic Leaders Hail FBI Chief's Book

J. Edgar Hoover's book, "Masters of Death," which is to be serialized in The Rockford Morning Star and Register-Public, has received the wholehearted endorsement of 10 civic leaders in Rockford and Northern Illinois, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church, termed it a "pioneering effort" in "treating for us an instrument of justice and of preventative criminology which has saved us from the terror of subversives."

Hoover's book, giving the inside details of how the communist party operates, is based on information gathered in the past two decades by his agents in the FBI. The first instalment of the book will be published in Sunday's Morning Star.

Congressman Leo E. Allén, Galena, who is reading the book, believes it should be read by all Americans. His wife, after reading the book, suggested that her husband introduce a bill making the book available to all high school students in the nation.

schools, Rev. W. Johnson, Republican nominee for sheriff, and Circuit Judge Arthur V. Essington. The serialized book will appear in The Star on Sundays and in the daily Register-Republic. It starts in this Sunday's Star.

"The Rockford newspapers are to be commended for bringing to their readers this important book by the country's leading authority on communism," Mayor Benjamin T. Schleicher said.

Chief of Police Thomas P. Bourne said a copy of the book has been bought for the use of Rockford police officers.

The book was hailed as "readable, well written, and worthwhile," by Probate Judge Seely P. Forbes. The Rev. W. E. Ben-

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J. Edgar Hoover Bares Red Plot to Seize Power

Now in "Masters of Deceit," one of the most important books of our time, J. Edgar Hoover bares the Red plot to seize power in the United States. The man most responsible for knowing who the American communists are, and what they are doing, exposes the subversion, espionage and conspiracy being carried out every day by the Communist Party in America. "Masters of Deceit" is must reading for every American; the story that only the director of the FBI could tell. Start it exclusively in Sunday's Journal-American.

Jim Bishop Reports on "The Day Roosevelt Died"

What were FDR's last words? What did he say and do that fateful April 12, thirteen years ago? In The American Weekly, with Sunday's Journal-American, famous writer Jim Bishop describes "The Day Roosevelt Died"—a dramatic account of FDR's last hours and the effect the news of his death had on the world.

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Hoover Exposes New Red Menace

American Communists have turned to new trickery and terror in a never-ending campaign to undermine the foundations of our free society.

The frightening, yet fascinating details of how this underground conspiracy operates are unfolded by FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover in his new book, "Masters of Deceit," which the N.Y. Journal-American will begin publishing Sunday.

Hoover documents his expose with never before published case histories taken from FBI files.

ARCHBISHOP'S PLAN
The book so moved Archbishop Richard J. Cushing of Boston that the Roman Catholic prelate announced a plan for doubled distribution at his own expense.

"This story of communism in America and how to fight it is a MUST," he said.

"It presents the nature of communism, the evils of the system, and what America would be like under communism."

"Reading this book, one

marvels that the world at large ever let this international conspiracy get off the ground."

The Rev. Daniel A. Poling, editor of the Protestant publication, The Christian Herald, calls Hoover's work "the most important—indeed, the imperative book of the decade."

"It is a convincing call to the American people to rouse themselves from an indifference that could become the source of freedom's destruction," he added.

From his 38 years' experience in fighting communism, Hoover discloses new techniques in espionage and sabotage, and how the Reds infiltrate non-communist organizations and turn them to their own uses.

He reveals how they make their influence felt through strategically and highly-placed individuals and what every American can do to help combat this menace.

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MASTERS OF DECEIT

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Now, from the man most intimately familiar with the communist conspiracy in our country, comes the most authoritative exposé ever written about the Red menace in America. For the first time, FBI director J. Edgar Hoover bares, as only he can, the

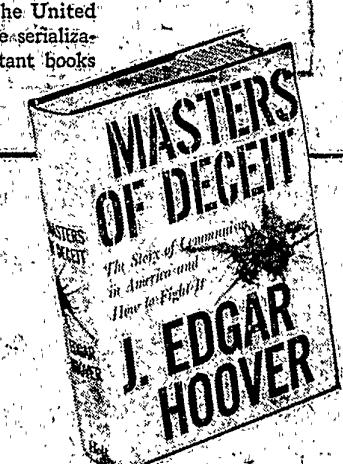
incredible story of subversion, espionage and treachery being practiced every day by the Communist Party in the United States. Don't miss this exclusive serialization of one of the most important books of our time.

J. EDGAR HOOVER reveals:

- Why some people become communists—and why some eventually break away.
- Techniques of espionage and sabotage; how the underground operates.
- How Reds infiltrate non-communist organizations.
- How you can spot a communist sympathizer.
- What "thought control" is and how the communists are using it.
- How Reds make their influence felt through highly placed individuals.
- What their aims are and how they carry them out in your community.
- What you can do to help fight this menace.

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